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30th August ..	Dilwara .	5414

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Date About:	Steamers.	
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Kamakura Maru No. 2	J. Nakamura	3766	14th Aug.	16th Aug.
Kinai Maru	T. Yoshiaki	4179	21th Aug.	5th Sept.
Chikugo Maru.	John Salter	3656	23rd Aug.	3rd Sept.
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[illegible]	K. Tsuji	14th Aug.	25th Aug.	Japan.
Saigon Maru	S. Kondo	18th August.	31st August.	Japan.
Indus Maru	T. Watanabe	26th August.	10th Sept.	Japan.
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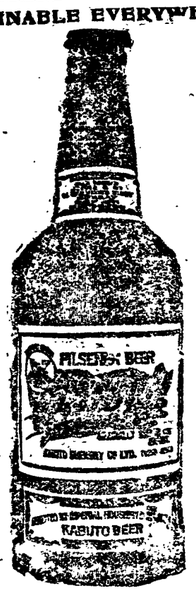

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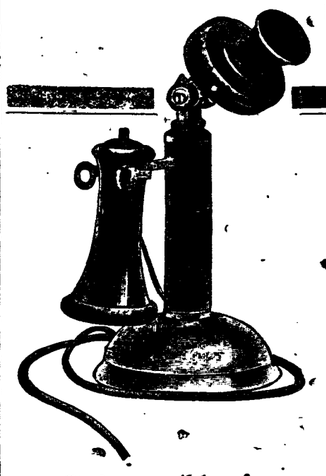

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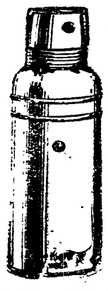

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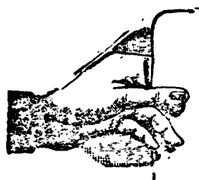

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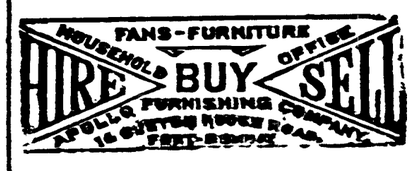

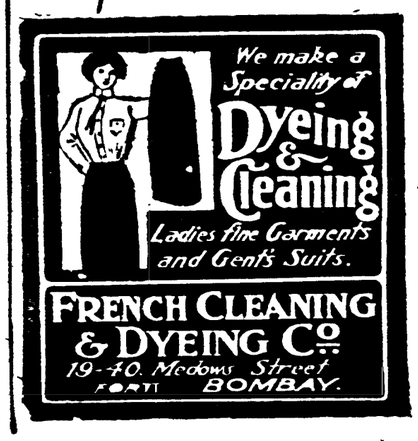
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THE WEATHER.

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SIMLA, Aug. 22.

Heavy rainfall has again occurred in north of the Central Provinces and there has been increase in Madras and over northeast of the Peninsula. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Orissa, Gujarat, Central India West of the Central Provinces, Konkan, Mysore and local in Bengal, Chota Nagpur, east of the United Provinces, Kashmir, the North West Frontier Province, Rajputana, and Madras. A few falls also occurred in Upper Burma, Bihar, west of the United Provinces, the Punjab, east of the Central Provinces and Hyderabad.

The chief amounts are:—Victoria Point two inches; Tavoy, Kyaukpyu, Akyab one and half, Balasore two, False Point one and half, Benares, Allahabad a quarter, Jhansi one, Mukhteshwar one and half, Rawalpindi one, Gulmarg three quarters, Peshawar, Parachinar, Bikaner a half; Kotah, Udaipur one, Mount Abu six, Dwarka a quarter, Ahmedabad, Neemuch one and half, Hoshangabad two, Saugor three, Jubbulpore, six, Pachmarhi four, Raipur one, Seoni a half, Marmagoa one and half, Nizamabad two, Cuddapah, Calingapatam one and half, Cocanada one, Gopalpur three quarters.

Forecast:—Increase of rainfall in Gujarat.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a.m. of 22nd Aug. 1919.		Total since 1st June 1919 to Date.		June 1st to 22nd Aug. 1917		1918	
	In.	Ct.	In.	Ct.	In.	Ct.	In.	Ct.
Colaba (Observatory) ...	0	26	58	40	38	44	19	37
Fort (St. George's Hospital)	0	8	59	16	42	75	18	96
Esplanade (Gok. Tel. Hospital) ...	0	3	56	58	41	70	19	56
Byculla (J. J. Hospital) ..	0	26	61	51	41	19	23	17

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY: COLABA.

Bombay, 21st August 1919.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m. 10 a.m. 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	29.791	Inch.
Temperature of Air	80.9	Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77.0	,,
Dew Point	75.6	,,
Relative humidity of Air	0.841	,,
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy 10)	7.4	,,
Maximum temperature of Air	85.3	,,
Minimum do.	77.5	,,
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WSW.W.	
Movement of Wind	223	Miles
Fall of Rain	0.10	Inches
Total fall during month	5.34	,,
Do. do. year	58.29	,,
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 22nd	0.24	,,

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and height of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean time. Depth of water is at Prince's Dock:—

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Sill.		Day of Month.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Sill.	
	Aug.	h.	m.	ft.	in.	Aug.	h.	m.	ft.	in.
Fri.	22	m 9	2	26	10	22	m 2	0	17	1
		8.	58a	25	4		8	18a	19	5
Sat.	23	m 9	56	27	1	23	m 2	56	16	9
		9	54a	26	2		4	6a	18	5
Sun.	24	m 10	41	26	2	24	m 3	56	16	5
		10	43a	26	11		4	49a	17	7
Mon.	25	m 11	20	25	8	25	m 4	43	16	3
		11	27a	27	6		5	24a	16	10
Tues.	26	m 11	55	25	6	26	m 5	24	16	4
							5	56a	16	4
Wed.	27	m 0	8	27	9	27	m 6	1	16	
		0	21a	25	4		6	27a	15	2
Thurs.	28	m 0	46	27	8	28	m 6	35	17	0
		0	56a	27	10		6	57a	16	2

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time, during the ensuing week:—

Aug. 22 (Friday)	Sunrise	6h. 21m.	Sunset	7h 2m.
,, 23 (Saturday)	,,	6h. 20m.	,,	7h. 1m.
,, 24 (Sunday)	,,	6h. 20m.	,,	7h 1m.
,, 25 (Monday)	,,	6h. 22m.	,,	7h 0m.
,, 26 (Tuesday)	,,	6h. 22m.	,,	6h. 59m
,, 27 (Wednesday)	,,	6h. 22m.	,,	6h. 57m
,, 28 (Thursday)	,,	6h. 23m.	,,	6h. 56m

Phases of the Moon:—

First Quarter	4d.	1h.	41-5m. a.m.
Full Moon	11d.	11h.	9-5m. p.m.
Last Quarter	18d.	9h.	26-1m p.m.
New Moon	25d.	9h.	7-1m. p.m.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Friday, the 22nd August 1919, giving data for the preceding 24 hours:—

The Punjab.—Rawalpindi reports 1.09 in. of rain. The sky is moderately or heavily cloudoed in the north Punjab, but is only lightly clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in excess and day temperature is below normal est Lahore and Multan.

The United Provinces.—Jhansi reports 0.92 in. of rain and Allahabad 0.24 in. Skies are moderately clouded.

Sind and Rajputana.—Rainfall has been local and again heavy at Mount Abu; Mount Abu reports 6.05 in., Bikaner 0.67 in., and Kotah 1.21 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded except at Bikaner. Humidity is in excess at Bikaner and Kotah. Day temperature is below normal in Rajputana; night temperature is above normal in Sind.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Nearly general rain has fallen; Dwarka reports 0.20 in., Rajkot 0.16 in., Bhavnagar-Para .0.57 in., Surat 0.12 in., Ahmedabad 1.42 in., Deesa 0.84 in., Neemuch 1.69 in. and Indore 0.40 in. Skies are heavily clouded. Humidity is in excess in north Gujarat.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been nearly general except in Berar and has been heavy in the northern districts; Jubbulpore has had 5.85 in., Saugor 2.97 in., Hoshangabad 1.80 in., Khandwa 0.42 in., Nagpur 0.22 in. and Raipur 1.15 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Day temperature is in slight defect in the area of heavy rain.

The Konkan.—Rainfall has been nearly general; Bombay has had 0.26 in., Mormugao 1.45 in. and Karwar 0.19 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Nizamabad reports 1.79 in. of rain. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Humidity is below normal at a few stations. Day temperature is above the average in north Hyderabad and locally in the Bombay Deccan.

General Remarks.—A low pressure area has formed over the north of the Central Provinces and under its influence heavy rain has fallen at Saugor and Jubbulpore. Heavy rain is again reported from Mount Abu. Rainfall has been nearly general in the Konkan, Gujarat, Kathiawar, Central India West, the Central Provinces excepting Berar and on the Madras coast, and local in the north Punjab, the United Provinces, Rajputana, north Hyderabad, the Madras Deccan, Mysore and north Malabar.

An extension of rainfall appears probable in the United Provinces, east Rajputana and the south-west of the Central Provinces.

India Telegraphic Summary for the 21st August, 1919:—

Both the monsoon currents are active and rainfall continues to be well distributed. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Chota Nagpur, east Rajputana, Central India and the Konkan, and local in Upper Burma, Bengal, Bihar, the United Provinces, Gujarat, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad and Mysore. A few falls have also occurred in Orissa, the Punjab, Malabar, south-east Madras and the Madras Deccan.

Chief amounts not already shown in the Bombay Report are:—Tavoy two inches; Moulmein eight; Rangoon, Diamond Island one and a half; Maymyo one; Burdwan one and a half; Chaibasa, Daltonganj two; Hazaribagh one; Meerut a half; Murree one and a half; Seoni a half; Pendra one; Raichur a half; Salem one and a half.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 HOURS ON FRIDAY, THE 22nd OF AUG. 1919.

STATIONS.	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours.	Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity. 8 hrs.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Total 1st June to date.	Departure, 1st June to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	.. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	..
Do (21st)	95	87.6	63	..	0	—0.m
Jask	91.1	77.2	87	..	0	—0.08
Muskat	.. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	..
Do. ( )	.. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	..
PUNJAB—						
Multan	94.6	81.6	56	—	7.32	+3.09
Rawalpindi	91.7	76.3	85	1.09	32.26	+15.88
Lahore	94.0	77.3	92	0.02	13.67	+2.55
Hissar	99.0	79.7	73	..	8.71	—2.16
Ambala	93.9	79.0	83	..	17.92	+1.02
Delhi	89.3	80.6	86	..	14.20	—0.09
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	89.5	80.0	88	0.03	25.40	+8.70
Mainpuri	92.0	80.2	86	..	19.14	+3.63
Jhansi	86.9	77.3	90	0.92	45.05	+20.95
Cawnpore	90.2	79.9	86	..	25.35	+3.09
Allahabad	88.2	79.4	85	0.24	23.18	—1.57
SIND & RAJPUTANA—						
Jacobabad	103.1	86.8	64	..	0.20	—1.67
Karachi	86.5	81.0	86	..	1.75	—3.66
Ajmer	90.4	76.5	90	..	10.41	+3.11
Jaipur	87.5	77.4	85	..	16.20	+0.82
Kotah	87.0	76.0	90	1.21	16.10	—1.60
Mount Abu	68.8	66.8	100	6.05	64.19	+21.94
GUJRAT KATHIAWAR & CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Rajkot	90.6	77.5	80	—	5.22	—5.65
Dwarka	83.8	78.0	85	0.20	5.72	—5.36
Veraval	88.2	78.6	89	0.08	7.90	—3.45
Rajkot	87.2	75.0	86	0.16	21.24	+1.44
Bhavnagar Para	90.0	75.4	91	0.57	9.26	—3.17
Surat	87.8	77.1	86	0.12	27.76	—3.76
Ahmedabad	89.1	76.3	93	1.42	20.75	—2.42
Deesa	87.0	76.1	93	0.84	34.77	+17.49
Neemuch	83.2	73.1	94	1.69	19.06	+1.44
Indore	83.2	72.6	99	0.40	30.76	+9.98
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	86.2	74.3	97	5.85	58.33	+29.61
Saugor	81.6	73.0	95	2.97	44.67	+13.93
Hoshangabad	83.3	74.0	93	1.80	45.99	+13.44
Khandwa	89.2	72.0	95	0.42	16.27	—5.27
Akola	91.2	75.7	74	..	19.49	—3.26
Amraoti	88.6	74.8	82	..	14.25	—6.07
Nagpur	86.2	75.2	88	0.22	40.82	+9.80
Chanda	89.6	77.0	83	0.06	28.57	—1.45
Raipur	84.9	..	79	1.15	47.31	+14.77
KONKAN—						
Bombay	85.2	77.4	89	0.26	33.40	—0.61
Ratnagiri	83.7	77.7	93	..	71.56	—6.29
Mormugoa	83.9	..	94	1.45	60.97	+4.23
Karwar	83.9	75.4	94	0.19	67.97	—5.92
BOMBAY DECCAN & HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	.. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	..
Ahmednagar	89.6	69.8	72	..	9.12	—1.44
Poona	83.5	70.4	88	0.65	9.51	—5.87
Sholapur	92.8	70.0	64	—	12.08	—0.25
Bijapur	87.9	70.4	73	..	5.00	—2.23
Belgaum	77.0	66.6	91	0.01	24.48	—5.57
Aurangabad	89.8	70.6	72	..	10.78	—4.87
Nizamabad (Indur)	89.9	72.5	77	1.79	18.28	—4.72
Hyderabad	86.8	73.5	69	..	15.76	—0.11
MALABAR & CEYLON—						
Bangalore	84.7	74.8	87	0.22	74.12	—17.84
Calicut	82.4	75.8	93	0.05	64.56	—13.37
Cochin	84.5	76.6	85	—	61.73	+0.27
Colombo	85.1	77.7	86	..	11.73	—9.70
MADRAS EXCLUDING MALABAR AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	93.2	76.2	94	0.50	14.89	—1.02
Bellary	95.6	74.2	58	..	2.57	—3.20
Cuddapah	99.4	76.8	73	1.30	15.50	+4.76
Madras	93.8	74.1	87	0.14	10.62	+1.65
Bangalore	84.0	67.6	81	0.36	11.32	+0.58
Coimbatore	89.0	71.3	81	0.07	2.78	—1.15
Trichinopoly	93.1	77.1	74	..	6.00	+1.12
Negapatam	91.0	77.4	79	..	5.14	+2.40

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbours may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometer:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide at 6-45 a.m., Standard Time, on the 22nd August, 1919, was 29.967 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by 0.13 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid the temperature correction is needed but for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by 138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide in the stream at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time, the ship's barometer readings should be increased by .010 inch for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

BOMBAY CHURCHES.

Tenth Sunday after Trinity, 24th Aug., 1919.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

St. Thomas Cathedral, Church Gate Street.—7 a.m., Holy Communion; 7-45 a.m., Matins; 8-30 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral). Lloyd in E. Flat. Hymns—419, 317, 194, 446; 5-30 p.m., Children's Service; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Canticles Anthem Chants. Hymns—447, 532, 439. Collections for Choir Fund. Daily Matins at 7-15 a.m., and Evensong at 4-45 p.m. Daily Holy Communion at 7-45 a.m. On Wednesday, Choral Evensong at 6-30 p.m.

Christ Church, Byculla.—7 a.m., Holy Communion; 7-30 a.m., Morning Prayer; 8 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral); 5-15 p.m., Children's Service; 6-30 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon.

St. John the Evangelist (Afghan Memorial Church), Colaba.—8 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral); 10 a.m., Parade Service and Matins; 5-15 p.m., Sunday School; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon.

Emmanuel Church (C.M.S.), Girgaum.—Clergy: English.—Rev. H. W. Lea-Wilson, M. A. Marathi—Rev. Canon D. L. Joshi; Rev. D. A. Yardi, B. A. Gujarati—Rev. L. Hari. English Service—8 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m., Evening Prayer, and Sermon, Collection for Church Expenses and Poor. Marathi Service at 9 a.m., Gujerati Service at 2-30 p.m.

St. Paul's Church, Kamatipura.—8-30 a.m., Urdu Service (Holy Communion on alternate Sundays). Rev. H. J. Lane Smith in charge; 10 a.m., Tamil Service (Holy Communion on alternate Sundays), Rev. J. Martyn in charge; 5 p.m., Evensong (Urdu).

St. Mary the Virgin, Parel.—8-15 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral); 5-15 p.m., Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

St. Nicholas' Church, opposite Prince's Dock.—10 a.m., Holy Communion; 7-30 p.m., Evening Service.

Holy Trinity Church, Hornby Road.—8 a.m., Morning Prayer; 8-30 a.m., Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m., Evensong.

Holy Cross, Umarkhadi.—6-30 a.m. Holy Communion (English), 7-30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon (Marathi); 9 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon (Gujarati); 6-30 p.m. Evening Service and Sermon (Marathi).

St. Stephen the Martyr, Bandra Hill.—11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon.

The Good Shepherd, Dharavi.—7-30 a.m., Holy Communion or Matins, alternately; 5-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon, Tamil Service.

St. Andrew's Church, Morland Road.—(Marathi) and (Gujrathi), 7-30 a.m., Matins; 8 a.m Holy Communion, 10 a.m., Gujarathi Service; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon.

St. Peter's Mazagon.—6-30 a.m., Holy Eucharist, 7-15 a.m., Matins and Litany; 8 a.m., Choral Eucharist; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon.

All Saints Church, Malabar Hill.—8 a.m., Matins; 8-30 a.m., Holy Communion, 6-30 p.m., Evensong.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

The Cathedral, Kalbadevi.—7 and 8-30 a.m., Masses; 5-30 p.m., Evening Service.

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St. Anne's, Byculla.—6-30 a.m., 7-30 a.m., 8-30 a.m. Masses; Evening Service 6-30 p.m.

St. Ignatius, Jacob Circle.—Masses; 6 a.m., 7 a.m., 8-30 a.m.; Evening Service 6 p.m. (Week days; 6-30 a.m., 7 a.m.).

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Holy Cross Church, Lower Parel.—5-30 a.m., 6-30 a.m., Low Mass; 8-30 a.m., High Mass; 6-30 p.m., Evening Service.

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Mount Mary's, Bandra Hill.—6-30 a.m., Mass.

St. Anne's Chapel, Palli Hill, Bandra.—7 a.m., Mass and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Week days 6-45 a.m.

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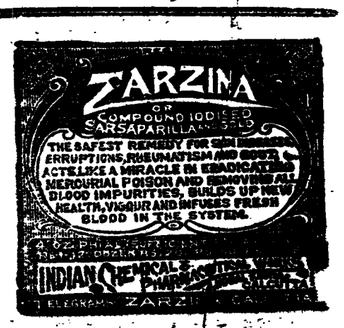
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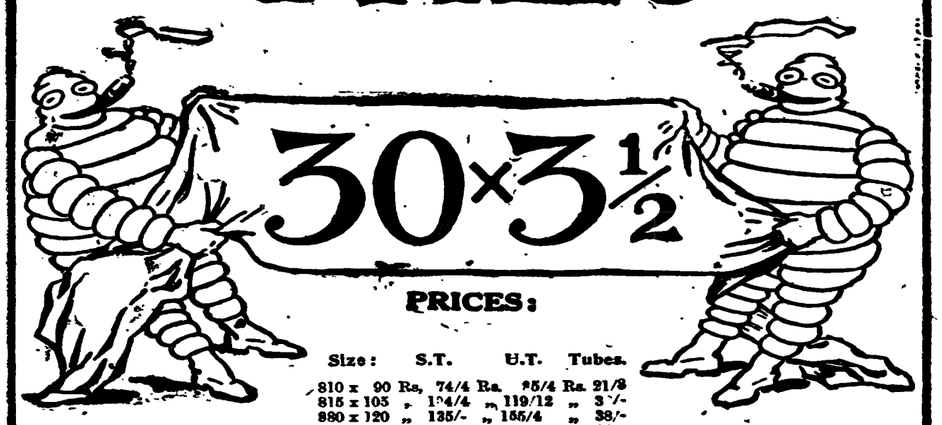

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W. FISHER,
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Nasik, 2nd August, 1919. 3809

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T. P. BHILADWALLA,
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Full particulars can be obtained at the Municipal Office from the Municipal Engineer.

N. D. MEHTA,
Chief Officer,
Bandra Municipality.
Municipal Office,
Bandra, 20th August, 1919. 4136

THE JUPITER GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

OWING to insufficient address several letters containing advice of allotment of shares in this Company have been returned through the Dead Letter Office and are now lying with us unclaimed.

As the allotment of shares was completed a month ago we shall be glad if applicants who have not received official intimation of the shares allocated to them would apply direct to the Head Office of the Company, 90, Esplanade Road, when the matter will receive prompt attention.

LALJI NARANJI & CO.,
Managing Agents.
4133

BANK OF BOMBAY.

THE BANK will be CLOSED on FRIDAY, the 29th instant, that day being a Public Holiday (Ganesh Chaturthi and Samvatsari Jain Holiday) under the Negotiable Instruments Act 1881.

R. AITKEN,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Bombay, 21st August, 1919. 4123

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are invited for constructng roads, footpaths, storm water drains, lighting the roads, etc., near Balaram Street and Foras Road, in the premises belonging to the Trustees of the Estate of Bai Awabai Framji Petit, the total cost of the works being Rs. 40,000, or thereabouts. Plans, sections and other particulars can be seen at the office of Messrs. Joshi and Samson, Architects and Engineers, at 303, Hornby Road, opposite the J. N. Petit Institute.

The tenders should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 each and forwarded at 361, Hornby Road, Fort, by 12 noon on the 8th Proximo.

The right to reject the lowest or any other tender whatever is reserved.

Bombay, 18th August, 1919.

K. H. DADY BURJOR,
Secretary, Trustees of the Estate
of Bai Awabai F. Petit.
4037

BOMBAY BARODA AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY COMPANY.

(Incorporated in England by Special Act of Parliament.)

WEEKLY POSTAL EXPRESS DELHI TO BOMBAY IN CONNECTION WITH THE MAIL STEAMER.

EVERY FRIDAY, until further notice, accommodation will be provided for a limited number of First and Second Class passengers on the Postal Express leaving Delhi at 8-50 a.m. in connection with the Weekly Mail Steamer leaving Bombay on Saturdays:—

The timings are as under:—

		H.	M.
Delhi	Dep.	8	50
Muttra Junction	"	11	12
Bayana	"	12	33
Kotah Junction	"	16	43
Rutlam	"	21	14
Baroda	"	1	42
Bombay	Arr.	9	50

The Postal Express runs direct to the Ballard Pier, Bombay, alongside the Steamer.

Connection is maintained at Delhi with the undermentioned trains:—

No. 4 Down leaving Peshawar at 7-30 hours Thursday.

No. 86 Down leaving Lahore at 20-0 hours. Thursday.

A Restaurant Car is provided throughout from Delhi.

The number of seats in the train is strictly limited, and they will be allotted by the STATION SUPERINTENDENT, DELHI only, to whom application should be made at least 48 hours before the departure time of the train. Seats will be allotted strictly in accordance with priority of applications.

Passengers are requested to label their luggage for Ballard Pier, Bombay.

NOTE.—Due to breaches on the line between Bharatpur and Bayana, the Express will be diverted via Agra Cantonment and Bayana, and arrive Bombay approximately at 10-50, instead of 9-50 until further.

E. T. ROBINSON,
Ag. General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, 12th July, 1919. 3998

PUBLIC NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

PROCLAMATION.—BOMBAY TO WIT.—By virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby proclaim and give notice, that the FOURTH SESSIONS of 1919 of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery will be holden before the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, at the Court House, on FRIDAY, the 12th day of September, 1919 at 10-30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders and other Felonies, Perjury, Trespasses and other Crimes, Misdemeanors and Offences had, done or committed within the Town and Island of Bombay, and the Limits thereof, and the Factories subordinate thereto and also to inquire, hear and determine, in the like manner, all Treasons, Murders, Felonies, Forgeries, Perjuries, Crimes, Extortions, Misdemeanors, Offences, Wrongs and Oppressions, had, done or committed by any of his Majesty's British Subjects in any of the Territories which now are subject to or dependant upon the Government of Bombay, or within any of the Dominions of the Native Princes of India in alliance with the said Government.

And also, that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders, Piracies, Robberies, Felonies, Misdemeanors, Offences and other Maritime Crimes whatsoever, done or committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby give notice to all persons bound to prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions, or in any way concerned therein, that they are to attend at the time and place abovementioned, and not to depart without leave of the Court.

And I hereby give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, Escheators and also all Chief Constables and Bailiffs of the Town and Island of Bombay and the limits thereof, that they be then and there in their own persons with their Rolls, Records, Indictments and other Remembrances to do those things which to their offices in that behalf appertain to be done.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1919.

COWASJEE JEHANGIR,
Sheriff of Bombay.
4111

THE BOMBAY TANNING AND LEATHER MFG., CO., DHARAVI.

WANTED—A CAPITALIST to join as a Partner with two lakhs of rupees. One lakh to be paid on application being entertained and the balance at six months' call, when machines arrive. Tannery to be installed with entirely new machinery of latest construction.

TERMS:—Bank interest, a fixed salary for active partner and half profits. Minimum Profit 26 per cent. on turnover. Six turnovers per annum. Prospectus on application to BONA-FIDE applicants.

This Tannery is the best built Tan-yard in the village. It is under the sole management of Mr. GEORGE BIRD, late Tanner to the Indian Munition Board, Bombay.

CAPACITY: 6,000 Cow Hides per month and with the addition of Machinery it will turn out in addition 15,000 skins per month, for Morocco, Glazed Chrome, Basils, etc.

A constant demand for finished leather and manufactured articles for Indian, Home and Foreign Markets.

Apply to Proprietor, MESSRS. WHITNEY BROS., 50, Church Gate Street, Bombay. 4154

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD,

SEALED TENDERS are invited, and will be received by the Controller (Sales) Indian Munitions Board, 19A, Chowringhee, Calcutta, up to MONDAY, the 15th September, 1919, for the purchase of the following material:—

		Number	Approximate Total Weight
Mild Steel Plates.	12'X4'X3/16"	13	43 Cwt
do.	20'X4'X3/16"	120	669 "
do.	20'X4'X5/16"	18	165 "
do.	12'X4'X3/8"	2	13 "
do.	35'X7½'X1/2"	4	192 "
Mild Steel Angles,	50'X3½"X4"X5/16"	9	30 "
do.	45'X3½"X4"X5/16"	11	33 "
do.	45'X3½"X5"X3/8"	16	67 "
do.	48'X3½"X6"X3/8"	1	5 "
do.	46'X3½"X6"X3/8"	1	5 "
do.	50'X3½"X6"X3/8"	28	145 "
do.	50'X3½"X7"X7/16"	28	188 "
do.	49'X3½"X7"X7/16"	3	20 "
do.	47'X3½"X7"X7/16"	2	12 "
do.	48'X3½"X7"X7/16"	1	6 "
do.	49'X3½"X7"X1/2"	3	22 "
do.	45'X3½"X7"X1/2"	2	14 "
do.	48'X3½"X7"X1/2"	1	7 "
do.	50'X4"X4"X9/16"	17	108 "
do.	45'X4"X4"X9/16"	3	17 "
do.	50'X5"X5"X9/16"	20	161 "
do.	50'X6"X8"X9/16"	20	229 "
do.	50'X5"X5"X11/16"	20	194 "
Mild Steel Channels	50'X7/16"X3½"X7"	15	136 "
do.	50'X9/16"X7/16"X3½"X8"	5	51 "
do.	50'X11/16"X7/16"X3½"X9"	10	115 "

The plates, angles, and channels were obtained by the Board, through the Director General of Stores, India Office, London, for ship repairs, and are all in perfect condition.

They are stored in the E. I. Railway General Store Depot, Howrah, and can be inspected on production of a written permit, from the Controller (Sales), to the Superintendent, General Store Depot, E. I. Railway, Howrah.

Tender forms, to which is attached a notification embodying the terms and conditions governing the sale, can be had on application to the Controller (Sales), on payment of Re. 1 (One) per copy. The forms will, however, be issued free of charge, to Railways and Government Departments.

All tenders must be submitted on the prescribed form, and the covers superscribed "Tender for purchase of material."

D. E. KEATINGE,
Controller (Sales),
Indian Munitions Board,
19A, Chowringhee, Calcutta.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

WANTED.

1. One grey MARE for riding 14 hands or 14-1, age 5 or under, pure Kathiawari or Arab; must be sound and not have been played polo or raced.

2. One grey or white ARAB HORSE, height 14-3, broken or unbroken to harness; age not more than 8 years, white tail and mane, must be sound.

3. One PONY, broken to harness, height 14 hands, black tail and mane. Age not more than 8 years, sound.

4. One pair Australian grey, blue or red roan, height 15 hands, perfectly sound, age not more than eight years. Broken to harness.

Apply to

J. CRAWFORD, M.R.C.V.S.,
Veterinary Surgeon,
4, Bellasis Road,
4124 Byculla, BOMBAY.

NOTICE.

THE STANDARD OIL MILLS, CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an AD INTERIM DIVIDEND for the period ending 30th June, 1919, at the rate of Rs. 5 per share free from income-tax on one share of Rs. 100 each against which Rs. 65 have been called, will be made payable at the Registered office of the Company on and after the 8th September, 1919, to those share holders whose name stand on the Register on the 1st of September, 1919, to whom Dividend Warrants will be posted.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 1st September to 7th September, 1919, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board
R. RAJABALLY & CO.,
Agents.

Whiteaway Building, Fort.
Bombay, 22nd August, 1919. 4132

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. SORAB DADABHOY BHEDWAR, of Bombay, Parsee Inhabitant, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, gift, mortgage, inheritance, possession, lease, lien easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our Office at Cook's Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, and to the Collector of Satara within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Leasehold ground with the bungalow standing thereon and called "Golf View," situate at Mahableshwar, containing by admeasurement one Acre and twenty-six Gunthas comprising Revisions Nos. 238 and 239 be the same more or less and described and particularly denoted as No. 115 in a certain map or plan of the said Mahableshwar Hills deposited in the office of the Collector of Satara and which said piece of land is bounded on the East by Revision Survey No. 79, forming property Yenna Lodge on the West by Revision Survey No. 11 on the North by Wathar Mahableshwar Road and on the South by Municipal Road.

Dated this 18th day of August, 1919.

PATELL & EZEKIEL,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
4044

NOTICE.

RE. SALE OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTIES, SITUATE AT MAHIM.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. PANDURANG SHAMRAO LAUD has contracted to sell the property belonging to him and described in the Schedule hereto to our client.

Any person having any claim or interest, by way of sale, mortgage, gift, inheritance, lease, lien, share, easement or otherwise to or affecting the said property or any part thereof, is hereby required to give notice thereof to the undersigned at their office at No. 3, Churchgate Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the matter will be completed without any regard to any such claim or interest as aforesaid and all such claims, if any, will be deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST:—All that half portion piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land called the Tareshwar Oart, situate in Mahim to the West side of B. B. and C. I. Railway, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 4,558-50 square yards, be the same little more or less, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 206, New No. 3878, Old Survey No. 144, New Survey No. 1/166, and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Assessment under G Ward No. 5578-5579 and Street No. 55, and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the Tulsi Water Main, on or towards the West by a land of Mahomedally bin Yoonus Mia Coor forming part of the said Tareshwar Oart, was allotted to Abdulla bin Alli Saheb Coor, on or towards the North by a public passage crossing the B. B. and C. I. Railway and on or towards the South by land registered under the New Survey No. 165.

SECONDLY:—All that piece or parcel or Foras Batty ground, situate in Mahim to the West side of B. B. and C. I. Railway, in the Town and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 128 squarr-yards, be the same little more or less and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue for Foras Rent under New No. 13023 and New Survey No. 2/117 and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the Tulsi Water Main, on or towards the North by the Land registered under New Survey No. 1/114, on or towards the West by the Land registered under New Survey No. 115 and on or towards the South by the Public passage.

THIRDLY:—All that piece or parcel of Foras Salt Batty land, situate to the East side of the Harbour Branch Railway at Mahim, in the Town and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement one thousand and eighty-three square yards, be the same little more or less, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Do. No. 172, New No. 13023, New Survey No. 1/267 and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the West by the said Harbour Branch Railway, on or towards the East by the land of Mahomedally bin Yoonus Mia Coor now allotted to Abdulla bin Alli Saheb Coor, on or towards the North by the Batty ground registered under New Survey No. 268 and on or towards the South by a public passage.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1919.

PANDIA & Co.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
3947

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. RUSTOMJI BOMANJI SHROFF, KAIKHUSRO BOMANJI SHROFF, Bai BANUBAI BOMANJI SHROFF and Bai PIROJBAI BOMANJI SHROFF, all of Bombay, Parsi inhabitants have contracted to sell the under mentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our office No. 14, K, Hummam Street, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessors of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of lease hold land or ground on the mody Bay Estate of the Trustees of part of Bombay together with the measuage or dwelling house standing thereon, situate at Frere Road, within the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurment 333 3/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 8480 and bounded as follows that is on or towards the East by vacant ground belonging to the said Trustees on or towards the West by the said Frere Road on or towards the North by land in the occupation of Hormasji Framji Warden and or towards the South by land in the occupation of Haji Ebrahim Tar Mahomed and Haji Cassam Tar Mahomed which said primises are assessed by the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes under A Ward No. 2849 and Street No. 113 (Frere Road) and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the said Vendors.

Dated this 21 day of August, 1919.

MERWANJI KOLA & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that SOONDERJI DAMJI has contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property.

All persons having or claiming any estate, right, title, interest, claim, or demand in, to or upon the said property, or any part thereof whether by way of inheritance, gift, or bequest, trust, mortgage, charge, sale, lease, lien, easement or otherwise, howsoever, or any objection to the sale are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes, and undersigned at their Office at No. 5, Bell Lane, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, failing which the sale will be completed without reference to any such claims or interest and the same will be treated as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground admeasuring 150 square yards, or thereabouts with the messuage standing thereon registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue, under Pension and Tax Collector's old No. 140, Collector's New No. 1245, Old Survey No. 455, and New Survey No. 7532, together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon assessed by the Collector of Assessment under Street Nos. 170-172 and D Ward No. 80, situate, lying and being at Thakordwar Road, on the North side, thereof, outside the Fort, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Sadashiv Narayan, on or towards the West by the property of Atmaram Mulchand, on or towards the South by the Thakordwar Road aforesaid, and on or towards the North by the property of Vinayak Dadoba Joshi.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1919.

JAMSEDJI RUSTOMJI & DEVIDAS,
4139 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ESSABHAI SHAIKH HEPTULLAJEE has contracted to sell to my client ABDULLA JOOSUB CALCUTTAWALLA, the undermentioned property. Any person or persons having or making any claim against the said property by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, exchange, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lien or otherwise howsoever is or are requested to make the same known in writing to me at my office at Picket Road, Kalbadevi within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Quit and Ground Rent land or ground situate, lying and being at Samuel Street, without the Fort of Bombay containing by admeasurment 381 square yards or thereabouts registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 1388-1388 and 1429, New No. 7145, 7146, 7176, Old Survey Nos. 212, 213, 214 and New Survey Nos. 2802, 2803, together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house, standing thereon and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 1677 at 1679 and Street Nos. 211 at 221 and which premises are bounded as follows, that is to say, on the North by a sweeper's passage, on the South by a sweeper's passage common to the premises and to the property of Ramjanally Lalji Sajan, on the East by a sweeper's passage, on the West by Samuel Street.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1919.

GULAMALLI G. MERCHANT,
Purchaser's Vakil.
4146

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it has come to the knowledge of our clients Mr. DAMODAR RAGHOBA and others being members of the Somavanshi Kshatriya caste, of Worlee, that KEROBA JANARDHAN MANTRI and RAO SAHEB JAIRAM JANARDHAN MANTRI purporting to act under an alleged Deed of Trust, dated the 5th day of February, 1919, are attempting to deal with or otherwise dispose of or are negotiating for the sale or lease of certain lands situate at Worli along the sea-shore on the West side of Worli, called the Gopchar and Bhoy admeasuring 3,65,000 square yards or thereabouts, bearing Collector's New Survey Nos. 3344, 3258 and 3259 and Municipal G Ward Nos. 161, 161 (2), 162, 316 and others and Street Nos. 63, 63 a, 64 and others, of which our said clients being the members of the Somavanshi Kshtariya Caste, along with the other members of the caste are the owners. All persons dealing with the said Mr. Keroba J. Mantri and Rao Saheb J. J. Mantri with reference to the above lands or any part thereof are hereby warned that the said persons and any other person or persons acting under their authority are not entitled to dispose of or otherwise deal with the said land or any part or parts thereof. If notwithstanding the above warning any person or persons purchase or taken on lease the said lands or any part thereof, he or they will do so at his or their own risk.

The above lands or a certain portion thereof are comprised within a scheme for acquisition by the Bombay Improvement Trust under Scheme. No. 52.

Dated this 22nd day of the August, 1919.

MERWANJI KOLA & Co.,

Attorneys for Mr. Damodar Raghoba & Ors
4156

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that BACHUBAI, wife of Jehangir Pestonji Batliboi, has contracted and agreed to sell to our client, the property described in the Schedule herein under written:—

ALL persons having or claiming any estate, right, title, claim and demand, into, upon or against the said property or any part thereof, by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, trust, lease, gift, inheritance, succession, possession, lien or otherwise, howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our office at No. 13, Military Square Lane, Fort, Bombay, an also to the Assessor and Collector of the Municipal Rates and Taxes, Bandra, and to the Collector of Thana, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase shall be completed without reference to any such claim or all such claims, (if any), shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of land or ground together with the messuage tenements or bungalow and stables and other buildings and structures standing thereon situate, lying and being at Bandora, in the Registration Sub-District of Bandora, Taluka Salsette, District Thana, containing any admeasurement according to the old muniments of title (1640) one thousand six hundred and forty square yards, but now found on actual measurement to contain (1,480) one thousand four hundred and eighty or thereabouts, and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue, Thana, formerly, under Survey Nos. 22, 27, 188 and Pot Nos. 5, 7, 8, 10, 9, 3, 4, 8, 6, 9, 11 and 1, and now under non-agricultural Survey No. 165, and in the books of Bandra Municipality under house No. 127, Hill Road, Bandra, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by a private passage commonly known as Samvath Lane, and beyond that by the property of Hakimji Mahomedbhoy Saboovlla, on or towards the West and North by the property of Jamsetji Panthaki, and on or towards the South by the Bandra Hill Road, and which said premises are in the occupation of the tenent of the Vendor.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1919.

MANCHERSHAH & NARMADASHANKER,
4122 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. TOMAS VICTOR DE ARIO, his wife ROSE DUMMING DE ABRIO and his son PETER JOSEPH DE ABRIO have contracted to sell to the undersigned the undermentioned properties. All persons having any claim against or to the said properties by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easements or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at Bandra within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE PROPERTIES.

All those pieces or parcels of land or ground situate, lying and being at Mouze Dhanda, in the Sub-registration District of Bandra, in District Thana, more particularly described in the schedule hereunder written and bearing following particulars:—

Entry in the record of right's register.	Survey No.	Pot No.	Area in Gunthas.	Assessment Rs. as. p.
1285	132	13	5	1 0 0
1354	138	5	12	3 0 0
1364	138	11	4	0 12 0
1382	140	12	6	1 8 0
1382	140	14	½	0 4 0
1482	153	2	8½	1 14 0
1483	153	10	2	0 8 0
Total			38	8 14 0

T. C. KHANDWALLA.

Bandra, dated 17th August, 1919.
4102

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 877 of 1916.

AHMED SAHEB bin ABDUL REHMAN SHABOZKAR and Anr. ...Plaintiffs.
vs.
MULLA MAHOMED YOONUS PENKAR and others .....Defendants.

PURSUANT to the Consent Decree and Judge's order made in the above Suit on 27th June, 1918 and 15th March, 1919, respectively the following immoveable property will be sold by public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on THURSDAY, the 25th day of September, 1919, at the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon (S. T.).

PARTICULARS.

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent tenure land with the tenement Durgas of Mushas and the dwelling house standing thereon situate at New Nagpada in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 365 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Survey Nos. 2555, 2556 and New Survey No. 1/4002 and by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under E Ward Nos. 595, 596, (1), 607 and Street Nos. 2224-15 and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the North by a vacant piece of ground, on or towards the South by the property of Adamji Peerbhoy, on or towards the East by the Mustan Tank Road and on or towards the West by a public passage leading to the Mustan Tank Cross Road.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. Contain and Vaidya, Attorneys for the Plaintiffs abovenamed at No. 121, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1919.

(Sd.) H. H. WADIA,
Commissioner.
4058

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. NOWROJI JAMSHEDJI BILLIMORIA, of Bombay, Parsi, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients subject to the terms of a certain lease dated the 10th day of October, 1905. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our Office No. 14, K Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of land held under a lease from Mr. VINAYAK BHASKER SAKALKAR together with the messuage or chawls and stables standing thereon, situate at Gurapdev Road, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 2,500 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue relating to Quit and Ground Rent Tenure under New Nos. B/11790, 11794 and 11795 and New Survey Nos. 5 and 10/8623 and bounded on the East by the property of Vinayak Bhasker Sakalkar, on the West by the vacant land of the Trustees of the Bomonji Dinshaw Petit, Trust Settlement, on the North by a public road leading to Gurandev Road and on the South by the property of the Maratha Plague Hospital, which said premises are assessed by the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes under E Ward Nos. 8149, 8150, 8151 8152 and 8153 Street Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28 and were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the Vendor.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1919.

MERWANJI KOLA & Co.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.
4098

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for letters of Administration of the property and credits of SITA Bai alias KASHIBAI YESHWANT DEO, alias KRISHNABAI YESHWANT MANDAPE, widow of Dinker Jeram Wahalkar, late of Bombay, Inhabitant .....Deceased.

RAMCHANDRA YESHWANT MANDAPE, of Yaval, East Khandesh at present temporarily residing at Girgaum, outside the Fort of Bombay .....Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this Twelfth day of August in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and nineteen and in the tenth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

R. B. PATEL.
Ag. Registrar.
K. A. BHOJWANI.

The 12th day of August, 1919.

Mr. NARAYAN C. DALAL,
Petitioner's Attorney.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of GHANA SHYAM KASHINATH THAKUR, late of Bombay Somavanshya Kshatriya, Pathare Hindu Inhabitant, Merchant .....deceased

SAVITRIBAI, widow of the said Ghana shyam Kashinath Thakur, of Bombay, Somavanshya Kshatriya, Pathare Hindu Inhabitant, residing at No. 12 Secand Bhatwadi Lane, without the Fort .....Petitioner.

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Petitioners' Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bai RUTTONBAI, widow and executrix of the late Mr. SORABJI MUNCHERJI BHARUCHA, of Bombay, Parsi inhabitant has contracted for the absolute sale to our client BOHRA MAHOMEDALLI ABDOOLJI CHHAGAN of the undermentioned property which the late Mr. Sorabji Muncherji Bharucha had in his turn contracted to purchase from Mr. Merwanji Edalji Davar. All persons therefore, having or claming any right, title or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof, whether by way of inheritance, bequest, trust, possession, gift, sale, mortgage, charge, lien, or otherwise howsoever, are hereby required to make such claims known in writing to the undersigned at their office, No. 113, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from this date, otherwise the said sale will be completed without reference to any such claims, and all such claims, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land situate on the West side of Laburnum Road in the City and Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay, which has been computed to contain 757 square yards or thereabouts and which is bounded on the North East by Laburnum Road on the North West by Plot No. 65 of Gamdevi Estate agreed to be leased to Byramji Jiwanji Mistry and others, on the South East by Plot No. 63 agreed to be leased to the aforesaid Vendor and on the South West by land of the Board laid out as a service passage and is assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under portion of New Survey No. 7316 and by the Municipality under D Ward, No. 2835 parts of and Street No. 18 and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the Vendor.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1919.

ARDESHIR HORMUSJI DINSHAW & CO.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.
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NOTICE OF SALE OF THE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY IN FANASWADI LANE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. CASSAMALLI JAIRAJBHOY, of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. All persons having or claiming any right, title, interest, claim or demand whatever into against or in respect of the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, sale, purchase, gift, bequest, devise, partition, mortgage, charge, trust, lease, possession maintenance, lien, easement or otherwise howsoever are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at No. 79, Medows Strtet, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, failing which the Purchase will be completed without reference to such rights or claims and the same, if any, will be treated as having been waived and abandoned.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece of land of Pension and Tax tenure togethtr with the messuages, tenements and buildings, standing thereon, situate on the East side of Fanaswadi Lane, in the City and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 2,700 square yards or thereabouts bearing Collector's Old No. 664, New No. 3006, Old Survey No. 265 and New Survey No. 391 and Municipal E Ward Nos. 8273 and others and bounded, on or towards the East by the property now or formerly known as Anant Rishi's Oart, on or towards the West partly by the Fanaswadi Lane and partly by Hindu Temple, on or towards the North partly by the property now or formerly Ehimji Tanaji and partly by the said Hindu Temple, and on or towards the South partly by the property known as the Dady Sett Fire Temple and partly by the said Hindu Temple.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1919.

MALVI, MODY RANCHODDAS & Co.
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ALAUDIN CASSUM has contracted to sell to the purchasers who are our clients the undermentioned property.

All persons having any claim or interest thereto or therein or in or to any part thereof, either by way of gift, inheritance, mortgage, charge, lease, lien trust or otherwise howsoever, are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at No 65, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay within 14 days from the date hereof, failing which the said sale will be completed without reference to any such claim or interest and the same if, any, will be treated as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All those pieces or parcels of land or ground with the hereditaments and premises standing thereon admeasuring 44134 square yards situate at Kolbe Kalyan Tukadi and District Thana, Pota Tukdi Bandra, Takula Salsette, Registration Sub-District Bandra and detailed as under in the following table.

Sur. No.	Pot No	Gross Area Acres.	G.	Kharaba Gu.	Net Area A.	G.	Assess. Rs. a.	Sq. yd.
114	2	3	5½	5	3	½	9 8	15185
115	1	2	6½	4½	2	2	3 4	10497
116	1	3	2½	6½	2	35½	8	14792
117	2	0	30½	1½	0	28½	1 10	3660
	4	9	4½	17½	8	27	18 14	44134

and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the East by Creek, on or towards the West by land bearing survey No. 117, Pot No. 1, 3, 4, 6 and Falni No. 4 and on or towards the South by Nala and on or towards the North by land bearing Survey No. 114, Pot No. 1 and Falni No. 1 and road leading from Kurla to Kalian.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1919.

EDGELOW, GULABCHAND WADIA & CO.,
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SALE BY AUCTION.

GANDHI & CO.

Auctioneers and Commission Agents,
No. 52, Medows Street, Fort.

AUCTION SALE OF 20 PACKAGES OF BLEACHED DHOTTIS.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 23rd August, 1919, at 2 p.m., (S. T.), Messrs. GANDHI and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction, at the bailing press of Dossa Mussa, Vithalwadi, by order of Messrs. R. P. Wagle and Co., and on account and at the risk of defaulting purchaser Messrs. Gokaldas Dayee and Co. of Morarjee Gokuldas Market.

10 packages bleached dhottis, 44 inches width.

10 packages bleached dhottis, 48 inches width.

A deposit of 25 per cent., will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF 8 PACKAGES OF BLEACHED DHOTTIS.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 23rd August, 1919, at 1-30 p.m., (S. T.), Messrs. GANDHI and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction, at the bailing press of Dossa Mussa, Vithalwadi, by order of Sheth Thakordas Rachhoddas, and on account and at the risk of defaulting purchaser Shah Mohanlal Keshavlal:—

8 packages Bleached Dhottis, No. 929 quality yards 8 to 9, inches 40.

A deposit of 25 per cent., will be required at the time of sale.

SALE ON SUNDAY, the 24th August, 1919, at 2-30 p.m., (S. T.), at the lane near Victoria Garden, Sussex Road, Byculla.

Auction sale of very decent, strong and substantial, highly polished, made to order furniture comprising dining table, chairs, Chesterfield sofas, chairs to match, chairs, Chesterfield Sofas, chairs to match, almyrahs, dressing table, chest, latest pattern cabinets, drawing room suite of sofas and chairs, teak and black wood bedstead, meetsafe, book case, etc.,

Cut glass of electric hanging zoomars of well-known makers of various sizes and shades. Brons statues with electric lights, Terakota statues, marble statues, electric ceiling and table fans, mirror wall brackets, jardineers, etc., etc.

On SUNDAY, the 24th August, 1919, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the above place where the goods are arranged for sale, very decent teak and black wood drawing, dining and bed room furniture including dining table, dining arm chairs, meetsafe, dumbwaiter, Chesterfield sofas and chairs to match, rich satin lined latest design suite of 10 pcs., single and double door almyrahs, cabinets, writing desk, office arm chairs, teak and black wood bedstead, book case, rack, etc., etc.

Cut glass hanging zoomars of the well-known makes of various sizes and shades of electric lights, zoomars for candles, statues with electric light, nice marble statues, Terakota statues, electric table and ceiling fans, mirror wall brackets, jardineers, etc., etc.

Property of J. Adam, Esq., gone to Calcutta, and others.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view four days before the date of sale.

P. S.—Zoomars, statues are worth having and so we draw your attention to inspect them.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNITURE.

On SATURDAY, the 23rd August, 1919, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. GANDHI & CO., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction at their rooms No. 52, Medows Street, Fort, teak and black-wood furniture such as try lined drawing-room suite of sofas and chairs, dining table, marble-top centre tables, glass and office writing table, cane-arm-chairs, and panel-door, cup-boards, table and mirrors, plain and tiled tea-poys, book-stand, towel-racks, round table benches, washing table, easy chairs, rocking chairs, tapestry and table lined sofas, silk lined lounge chairs, etc., etc.

By order of office concerned.

1 big office table.
6 arm-chairs.
1 rocking chair.
1 easy chair.
1 pair glass door cup-boards.
1 big show case.

Property of one European gentleman:—

1 serge tunic.
1 B. cord breeches.
1 valise.
3 blankets.
1 camp bed.
1 pair spurs.
1 camp bath and stand.
1 water-bottle.
1 mess tin.

GANDHI & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 23rd August, 1919.

J. S. MODY & CO.

20, APOLLO STREET, FORT.
Telephone No. 3409.

AUCTION SALE ON SUNDAY, 24TH AUGUST, 1919, AT 10-30 A.M. (S. T.) SHARP, IN THE MORNING.

Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on SUNDAY, the 24th day of August, 1919, at 10-30 a.m. (S. T.) sharp, in the morning, at 63, Bellasis Street, opposite the Scottish High School, Club Road, Byculla, very valuable ready-made-to-order household furniture comprising dining table, arm and armless chairs, dinner wagon, dumbwaiters, handsome sideboard, meat safe, rich glassware, porcelainware and plated ware, marble top tables, fancy teapoys, upholstered drawing room suite, table, some cabinets, corner cabinets, rich plate ornaments, rich carpets, glass door cupboard, spring perambulator, writing tables, rich pictures, iron single and double bedsteads, iron cradle, almyrahs, clothes and gown press, chest of drawers, folding arm easy chair, rocking chairs, marble top dressing and wash-hand tables, bath-room furniture, cane furniture, cooking utensils, etc., and The property of F. W. Brown, Esq., and others.

Catalogues are published and the property is on view.

AUCTION SALE ON SUNDAY, 24TH AUGUST, 1919, AT 2-30 P.M. (S. T.)

Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on SUNDAY, the 24th day of August, 1919, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at 26, Mount Road, Masagaon near the Aga Khan's Bungalow, very valuable teak and blackwood household furniture, etc., comprising dining table, chairs, sideboard, dinner waggons, dumbwaiter, meetsafe, fancy glass and porcelainware, plateware, marble tables, teapoys, marble top tables, tapestry tapestry tered suite, glass silver cabinets, sweet-toned Cottage piano by Collard and Collard, Just fan, tatherhouse machine with records, fine cabinets, English cabinets, moonda almyrahs, Royal English gent's bicycle, handsome almyrahs, handsome cabinets, roll top writing tables, book cases, carved blackwood chiffoniers, teapoys and tables, bedsteads, dressing and wash-hand tables, chest of drawers, cloth and gown presses, easy chairs, cooking utensils, garden flower pots etc. etc.

The property of T. B. Fitzsimons, Esq., of Messrs. Killick Nixon and Co. and others.

Catalogues are published and the property is on view.

J. S. MODY & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 23rd August 1919.

SALE BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD & CO.'S SALES

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS
BOMBAY.
No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.
Tel. No. 521.

SALE TO-DAY AT 3 P. M.

AUCTION SALE OF 139 BUNDLES OF HEXAGONAL IRON NUTS, EX S. S. "CELEBIS MARU" AND "HEJAZ."

Under instructions from the office concerned and on account and at the risk of the undermentioned defaulting Indentors, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 23rd August, 1919, at 3 p.m., (S. T.), No. "J" Warehouse, Victoria Docks.

(1) On account and at the risk of the defaulting Indentor, Messrs. Ebrahim Mooji Samsoodin and Co.:—

72 Bundles of 1 cwt. each, Hexagonal Iron Nuts, size 3/8 in., 1/2 in., 5/8 in., and 7/8 in., and marked GAB., ex. S. S. "Celebis Maru."

17 bundles of 1 cwt. each, Hexagonal Iron Nuts, size 3/8 in., marked GAB., ex. S. S. "Hejaz."

(2) On account and at the risk of the defaulting Indentor, Messrs. H. Abdul Hoosain and Co.:—

10 bundles of 1 cwt. each, Hexagonal Iron Nuts, size 3/8 in., and ½ in., marked GAB., ex. S. S. "Hejaz."

40 bundles of 1 cwt. each, Hexagonal Iron Nuts, size 3/8 in., 1 in., 5/8 in., and 7/8 in., ex. S. S. "Celebis Maru."

A deposit of 25 per cent., will be required at the time of sale

N.B.—The goods are lying at Wari-Bunder Duty-paid Warehouse, Prince's Docks and also at No. "F" Warehouse, Victoria Docks. So the intending purchasers are requested to inspect the goods at the above-mentioned places before the sale.

SALE TO-DAY, AT 2-30 P. M., (S. T.).

AUCTION SALE OF THE REMAINING STOCK-IN-TRADE OF THE INDO-FOREIGN AGENCY.

At Waterloo Mansion, at Apollo Bunder, High Court Suit No. 1602 of 1919.
Patak vs. Madon.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos, Esq., the Receiver appointed in the above Suit Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 23rd August, 1919, at 2-30 p.m., (S. T.), at Waterloo Mansions, Apollo Bunder, the remaining stock-in-trade of the Indo-Foreign Agency, in small lots to suit buyers.

WEEKLY SALE.

Messrs. CRCAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 25th August, 1919, at 2-30 p.m., (S. T.), at their Auction Rooms, at No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort, the household furniture and sundry articles:—

Furniture, such as drawing rooms suites, mirror door almyrahs, dressing and writing tables, teakwood chairs, fancy teapoys, cupboards, etc.

The property of Military Officers—

One Military complete saddle of Colonial pattern.

One D. B. B. L. Gun No. 61806, by L. C. Smith, with catridges.

English enamelled bath tubs, provision, etc.

By order of the Office concerned, and on account and risk of the concerned:—

20 cases of Ultramarine Blue of 112 lbs. each in 1 lb., packet quality L. 12/9.

10 cases of Ultramarine Blue of 112 lbs. each in 1 lb. packet quality, 1107.

By order of the Insurance Office:—

3 cases cell-goods (damaged).

By order of B. N. Lang, Esq., the Official Assignee of Bombay, and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the undermentioned Insolvents:—

Re: Damodar Hemraj, Insolvent:—

One electric table fan.

Re: Kashiram Raghowji, Insolvent:—

Country-made safe, gadlas, takias, mehta boxes, clock, etc.

AT 2-30 P. M., (S. T.).

1 rubber-tyred glass-fronted office brougham.
1 rubber-tyred shigram.
1 rubber-tyred vis-a-vis.
1 second-hand bicycle.

AUCTION SALE OF 200 BALES OF BLANKETS OF THE EBRAHIM PABANI MILLS.

Under instructions from Messrs. The Currimbhoy Ebrahim and Sons, Ltd., and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser Mr. Hassan Mamooji of Bombay, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 28th August, 1919, at 3 p.m., (S. T.), at the Shop premises of Messrs. The Currimbhoy Ebrahim and Sons, Ltd., in Vithalwadi, behind the Lakhmidas Khimji Cloth Market.

100 bales, each containing 200 pieces of blankets of the Ebrahim Pagni Mills, 54 in. by 62 in. by 1-7/16.

100 bales, each containing 200 pieces of blankets of the Ebrahim Pabni Mills, 54 in. by 68 in. by 1-5/8.

A deposit of 25 per cent., will be required at the time of sale.

CRAWFORD & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 23rd August 1919.

MESSRS. SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

Auctioneers and Commission Agents,
21, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.

SALE OF CASTOR OIL.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co., will by order of the Office concerned, sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 25th August, 1919, at 3-30 p.m., (S. T.), at the godown of Messrs. Cox's Shipping Agency, Ltd., at Jail Road, Narsingpura (near Oomerkhadi Jail), out of Fort.

464 Barrels about 60 tons Castor Oil.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of knocking the lots to the purchaser and the balance shall be paid and goods cleared within three days from the day of sale. Further conditions will be declared at the time of sale.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.,
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Bombay, 23rd August, 1919.

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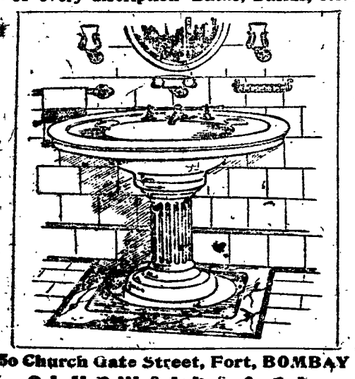

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SALE BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO.,

Auctioneers to the Government and G. I. P. Railway.
No. 25, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.
Telephone No. 1285.

AUCTION SALE OF SAW MILL MACHINERY.

On SATURDAY, the 23rd instant at 2-30 p.m. Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction by order of N. C. Dalal, Esquire, Attorney for Messrs. Jivalal Ojamshee and Co., at the godown of the said Company at Ahmedabad Street, Danabunder and on account and at the risk of Messrs. Bur Brown and Co.,

(1) Log frame saw to take logs upto 18" by A. Ransome and Co., this machine is bolted to a massive cast iron bed plate which carries bearings for crank shaft. Logs to sawn are fed forward by four feed roller logs being carried on two string four wheel timber carriages will take logs upto 25" long.

(2) Chelsea joiner by A. Ransome and Co., This machine performs the following operations:—

Sawing:—It will take circular saw upto 32" dia.

Cross cutting:—Crooving-planing.

Moulding Circular moulding mortising Boring Dovetailing.

(3) Self acting circular saw bench by A. Ransome and Co., will take saws upto 36".
(4) Small saw table of 24".
(5) Bend saw machine 24" pulley by A. Ransome and Co.,
(6) Emery wheel blade sharpening machine.
(7) Cocharane patent verticle tubular boiler 15" by 5" by 60"
(8) Steam Engine, Wilson make 14 N. H. P.
(9) Heater for Boiler.
(10) Self acting saw 60".
(11) Circular saws 24" six.
(12) Circular saws 30" nine.
(13) Circular saws 36" six.
(14) Circular saws 32" one.
(15) Circular saws 50" two.
Shafting, Gearing Pulleys, etc.

AUCTION SALE OF A STEAMSHIP NAMED "KAIPAN" BELONGING TO THE ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

Under instruction from the Director, Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction at the R. I. M. Dockyard on the 26th August at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.) the steamship named "Kaipan" with all stores and fittings on board at the time of sale. The steamship is lying just now in the Royal Indian Dockyard, Bombay.

Description: The vessel is a steel twin screw steamer built in 1888 by Messrs. Armstrong Mitchell & Co., Ltd., Newcastle. Her dimensions are length overall 142 feet, length between perpendiculars 135 feet, breadth 23 feet 1½ inches, depth moulded 12 feet, gross tonnage 275.5, net tonnage 110.25, I.H.P. of Engines 500, speed 8 to 10 knots.

Further particulars and conditions of sale can be obtained from the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, or from the undersigned at their offices and the inspection of the vessel can be had on application to the Superintendent of the Royal Indian Dockyard, Bombay.

AUCTION SALE OF 3 PACKAGES RADIUM POPLINS.

On WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant at 3 p.m., Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction at the baling press opposite the gate of the Dharamraj Gully at Champa Gully, Mulji Jetha Market by order of Seth M. H. Chaganlal and on account and at the risk of Seth Narottam Damodar.

3 packages Radium poplins.

AUCTION SALE OF 25 BALES KHAKI DRILLS OF THE MANECKJI PETIT MILLS.

On THURSDAY, the 28th inst. at 3 p.m. Messrs. MEHTA and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the baling press opposite the gate of the Dharamraj Gully at Champa Gully, Mulji Jetha Market, by order of Seth Damodar Haridas and on account and at the risk of the concerned:—

25 bales Khaki Drills of the Maneckji Petit Mills.

AUCTION SALE OF 60 PACKAGES SUPERIOR, FINE, FANCY, ENGLISH DHOTEES.

On THURSDAY, the 28th August, at 3-30 p.m., Messrs. MEHTA and Co. will sell by Public Auction at the baling press opposite the gate of the Dharamrajgully at Champagully, Mulji Jetha Market, by order of Seth Govinddas Tulsidas and on account and at the risk of Messrs. Runchordas Mathuradas and Co., of Shaik Memon Street.

20 Packages each about 200 pairs superior fine, fancy English Grey Dhotees quality of No. 501, number whatever may come. 8/10 yards 50 inches.

20 Packages each about 200 pairs superior fine, fancy English White Dhotees quality of No. 954, number whatever may come, 8/9 yards 45 inches.

20 Packages each about 200 pairs superior fine, fancy English Dhotees quality of No. 954 number whatever may come 8/10 yards 50 inches.

MEHTA, & CO.,
Auctioneers.

AMUSEMENTS.

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(Reuter's Telegram)

Liverpool, Aug. 20th.

	Sales.
Total Days Sales at Liverpool	4,000
,, Imports ,,	47,000
Mid. American Spot	19.20
Egyptian F.G.F. spot	—
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time) Oct.	29.40
Jan.	30.45
Mar.	30.54
New Orleans opening 10 a.m. Oct.	30.12
Jan.	30.66

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, Aug. 21st.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's price.
Aug.	—
Sept.	18 78
Oct.	19.00
Nov.	—
Dec.	19.14
Jan.	19.22
Feb.	—
Mar.	—
April	—
May	19.25
June	—
July	—

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, Aug 20th.

Months.	To-day's price.
Aug.	18.82
Sept.	18.92
Oct.	19.13
Nov.	19.19
Dec.	19.25
Jan.	19.31
Feb.	19.32
Mar.	19.32
April	19.32
May	19.32
June	19 28
July	19.24

EGYPTIAN FUTURE.

Liverpool, Aug. 20th.

Month.	To-day's price.
August	29.30

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, Aug. 20th.

M.G.	Bengal Good	14.10
,,	,, Fully Good	14.60
,,	,, Fine	14.85
,,	No. 1 Oomra Good	16.20
,,	,, Fully Good	16.70
,,	,, Fine	16.95
,,	Broach Good	17.20
,,	,, Fully Good	17.45
,,	,, Fine	17.70

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

London, Saturday, Aug. 20th.

	Bales.
Total in Sight	164 000

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 20th.

Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	12,000
,, Exports to Great Britain	1,000
,, ,, to Continent	Nil
Fixture at New York Oct.	30.22
,, ,, Jan.	30.35
,, ,, Mar.	30.40
Spot Cotton at New York	30.75
,, ,, Orleans	30.13
Future at New Orleans Oct.	29.91
,, ,, Jan.	29.26
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	21½
Demand Bills	4.15.60
Silver Commercial Bars	110

MONEY MARKETS.

London, Aug. 20th.

Bankers 3%	61 1/2
Bar Silver Spot	59 7/8
,, 2 months hence	58 1/2
Closing Tone of Silver:—Firm.	
Discount, Bank of England Rate 5 per cent since 5th April 1917.	
Discount Bank 3 m/st.	3 5/8
,, Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	4 1/4
,, Fine Trade Bills 3 months	4
,, ,, ,, 6 ,,	4 3/4
Interest day to day loans	3
,, 7 day market loans	3 1/8
Consols 2½%	51½
Rupee Paper 3½%	63
Indian Stock 3½% Sterling Loan	61½
Government Securities 3%	52½
Ex. On London at Paris Francs	34.05

SHARES.

Chartered Bank	£77
Hongkong Shanghai Bank	£114

WAR LOANS.

London, Aug. 20th.

3½% 1925—1928	£84½
4½% 1925—1945	£87½
5% New	£94 1/4

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Aug 20th.

WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe—63½ lbs.	59	Sellers.
Barletta Russo—63½ lbs.	59	
Australian	61	
Indian Wheats not quoted.		

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore usual Bold July-Aug. London Quoted	960
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship Aug.-Sept. Quoted	900
Tone of Rapeseed—Dull.	
Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Aug.-Sept. Value	1060
Linseed, Argentine, (La Plate) June-Aug. Hull Value	1060
Cottonseed Bombay (sound delivered per ton) July-Aug. Quoted	440
Toria Rapeseed July-Aug. London Value	960

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£100
Standard Copper G.M.B.	£100‡
Copper Braziers	£144
Yellow Metals'	14
Hard Spelter'	42‡

JAVA SUGAR.

Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta Not quoted.
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Sept.-Nov. probable Sellers 53

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Aug.-Sept.	
Vaule	2/5‡
Plantation First Latex Crepe Aug.	1/11‡
Tone:—Quiet.	

BEEF AND MUTTON TALLOW.

London, Aug. 20th.

Finest Australian Beef Tallow	11 2
,, ,, Mutton	110/0
General Tone of Tallow Auction	Flat No Demand.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

Bombay, Aug. 22.

BULLION.

Bar gold, Rs. 27-5-0.

EXCHANGE.

T. T. on London, 1/9 31/32.
D. D. on London, 1/10 1/32.
Credit 3 Mad/s, 1/10 7/16.
D. D. on France, 293/8.
Credit 3 Mad/s, 330.
T. T. on Japan, Rs. 124.
60 D/st Japan, Rs. 118-8.
D. D. on Hongkong, 201/8.
D. D. on Shanghai, Rs. 308/12.
D. D. on Singapore, Rs. 123.
D. D. on New York, Rs. 252/8.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

5 per cent. War Loan, 92.
5½ per cent. War Loan due 1920-22, 100-8.
4 per cent. Conversion Loan, 82.
4 per cent. Terminable Loan, 92.
4 per cent. Paper, 68/4.
3½ per cent. Paper, 68/4.
4 per cent. Port Trust long dated, 80.
4½ per cent. Port Trust long dated, 86.
4 per cent. Municipal long dated, 79.
4 per cent. Municipal short dated, 90.
4 per cent. City Improvement Trust long dated, 79.
5 per cent. Municipal Tansa, 92.
5 per cent. Municipal Sanitary, 91/8.
The following are the Bank rates:—
Bank of Bombay, 5 per cent.
Bank of Bengal, 5 per cent.
Bank of Madras, 6 per cent.

SHARES.

In our last report we referred to the top-heavy situation of the market as far as cotton mill shares were concerned and cautioned investors against following the propaganda of the Bull party. We also advised operators to take advantage of the excitement then prevalent and to let go their holdings. Those who have acted on our advice have no doubt fared remarkably well, because immediately with the opening of the week, the reactionary influences began to operate. With the apprehension of a further rise in exchange, nervousness began to play on the market on Saturday last and certain speculators who had so far manipulated for an upheaval changed sides and started selling. A considerable ease in rates ensued. This feeling of weakness became pronounced on Monday when the derangement of values was strikingly in evidence. Madhowjis which had last week bordered on Rs. 3,000, sagged straight away to Rs. 2,750. Kohinoors dropped to Rs. 2,000 and other scrips revealed a similar shrinkage. This important decline tempted buyers and as a result the market steadied on Wednesday when Bears were seen covering sales. For the last two days, speculators are once again seen dabbling in Madhowjis, Kohinoors and Fazulbhoys and their operations have served to lift up rates again to an appreciable extent.

This apprehension entertained regarding the further raising of exchange has exercised an unwholesome influence on cotton as well as Yarn and cloth and already a decline of some importance has been registered in the price of all these commodities.

So many factors have now come into operation that it is difficult to form an accurate forecast of the market at the present juncture. At all events, looking to the position of the mill industry, we do not favour a further fall of any magnitude in mill shares. With any further declension, we would advise, the purchase of spinning mill shares, especially Currimbhoys, Edward Sassoons, and Mayer Sassoons, which, judging from their present earning capacity admit of a further expansion of values. The spinning section of mills is in a much more flourishing state than the weaving mills and considering the denuded position of the stocks of yarns in China, Bombay yarns bid fair to command an increased consumption at remunerative rates.

With the resumtion of business in Tata Bank shares there has been a little more life in the sundry section of securities. Dealings in Tata Banks have been recorded at Rs. 90/88. Bombay Banks and Bank of Indias continue still in request and business is retarded only by the scarcity of sellers. Insurance shares have been buoyant. The interest in New India and Jupiter Insurance shares appears to have waned somewhat and their place taken by Vulcan and British India shares which are reported dealt in at steadily advancing rates. Vulcans are now quoted at Rs. 15 and British India at Rs. 20 premium. We understand that the promoters of the Vulcan are securing the services of a capable and experienced man in America. There was a deal of excitement in Scindia Steam Navigation shares in the beginning of the week when the rate touched Rs. 55 premium. They have since ceased off; but are not expected to go under Rs. 30, at which level purchases ought, we believe, to prove remunerative. Cements continue lifeless and Iron and Steels have ceased to interest genuine investors, present see-saw movements being solely due to speculative operations. Burma Petrols and Tata Oils show no change of importance.

The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange:—

Swadeshi 2640, Swan 770, Simplex 710, Madhowji 2855, Shapurji 221/4, Bombay Uniteds 1200, Central India 2730, Century 570, Coorla 980, Colaba 2340, Crescent 270, Currimbhoy 492/8, Kastoorchand 1510, Kohinoor 1970, David 800, Fazulbhoy 950, Finlay 670, Central Mining 40, Katni ord 327/8, Katni def 1700, Shivrajpur 44, Tata ord 237/8, Tata def 1165, Tata Bank 90, Tata Oil 430, Bombay Burma 1055, Bt. Burma Petroleum 27, Bombay Tramway 780, Bombay Steam 485, Tata Hydro 1430, Ind. Malwa 360.

The following are the closing rates of the New Stock Exchange:—

Swadeshi 2640, Swan 775, Simplex 715, Madhowji 2855, Fazulbhoy 952/8, Currimbhoy 492/8, Crescent 270, Kohinoor 1985, David 795, Finlay 675, Kastoorchand 1310, Century 570, Bombay Dyeing 1870, Shapurji 217/8, Tata ord 237/8, Tata def 1167/8, Tata Hydro 1435, Tata Oil 427/8, Shivrajpur 44, Katni ord 325, Katni def 1735, Bombay Burma 1065, Bt. Burma Petroleum 27/8, Bombay Steam 480, Central Mining 40.

PIECE-GOODS.

The Cloth Market has been dull and quiet during the past week. There has been a total absence of demand, owing to the belief that values will decline on account of the rise in exchange. Buyers have holders in hand from up-country, but purchases are being put off at present. The lack of inquiry has also been due to Hindu Holidays, which will extend for another week. The tendency of prices has been therefore weaker and fair concessions can be had for wholesale goods. Retail prices have not declined to the same extent and buyers are forced to pay full rates for anything needed. Stocks of several well-known qualities are very light and fresh shipments are not expected soon. Samples of medium qualities of Grey Shirtings of Manchester make are shown round in the bazaar, representing 100 bales stock lying in Madras, but the prices required are so high that no dealer cares to offer for the same.

The Manchester Market has been steady, but very little has been done by way of fresh business. The unrest in Lancashire has damped the feelings of manufacturers, who have not been in the mood to entertain fresh orders for the time being. Some makers have of late been working on their own account standard qualities, which are now being offered here as stock lots in Manchester. The decline in cotton has been causing some anxiety to dealers, as cloth prices may go down in sympathy. Every effort is being made to increase the production and give employment to the operatives, who have returned from the war. But some time must elapse before the machinery and looms in the mills are adapted to present requirements of the various markets. The increased cost of production due to the rise in wages of the operatives is still staring in the face of makers.

GREYS.

Grey Shirtings of Manchester make have remained firm and steady as stocks are light. Some standard qualities are quite out of stock, Some standard qualities are quite out of stock, specially the 39 and 45 inches Red End Shirtings. 41 inches Shirtings have shewn some imporovement. Grey Drills, Jaconets and Mulls have remained unchanged, the demand being poor.

Japanese Shirtings have been quiet with little doing. Speculative purchases are, at an end, and the bona-fide demand has been conspicuous by its absence.

Local Mill Shirtings have not shewn any change either way and the tendency seems to be easier in sympathy with the decline in cotton.

WHITES.

Values of White Goods have been easier all round Sacharilla heading White Mulls have declined by a rupee per piece, as stocks are over and above the present requirements. 58 inches by 20 yards Red End Mulls have depreciated in value by five annas per piece, and 39 inches by 20 yards Mulls under Gold heading by two annas. 40 inches by 18 yards standard Mulls have shewn a reduction of two annas and 27 inches by 18 yards Green End Mulls of four annas per piece, In Nainsooks values have dropped down by two to four annas per piece, specially in the narrow widths. Liepman's White Shirtings have been quoted Rs. 28 for ready goods, but goods expected to arrive here within a week are being offered at a rupee per piece less. This shows which way the wind blows.

THE CLOTH MARKETS.

The piece-goods markets will be closed on Monday next, owing to "Amwas" holiday and on Friday next on account of a "Jain" holiday.

STOCK OF PIECE-GOODS AND YARNS.

The list issued by the Bombay Chamber of Commerce, indicates a stock of 33,075 bales and 4,690 cases of cotton piece-goods as on the 31st July last, which shows a decrease of 3,398 bales and 454 cases compared with the figures of the previous month. The stock of cotton twist and yarns on the 31st July last, stands as 5,518 packages, which shows a decrease of 1,113 packages as compared with the previous month. The approximate total deliveries of cotton piece-goods during July have been 9,655 packages. The imports during July last, of cotton piece-goods have been 5,803 packages and of cotton twist and yarns 455 packages.

The quotations for the leading shops of Greys and Whites are as under:—

Grey Shirtings—	Ins.	Yds.	Rs. a. p.
Ralli's Fari No. 2,000	36	37½/8	—
,, ,, ,, 100,000	45	37½/8	—
,, ,, ,, 33,000	45	37½/8	—
Graham's No. 2730	39	37½/8	15 0 0
Fleming's No. 1905	45	36	—
Bates' No. 12888	41	37½/8	—
Dewhurst's Rupee No. 5	39	38½	22 0 0
,, B. B. B.	36	38½	26 0 0
Grey Jaconets—			
Ralli's No. 18	45	22	10 4 0
,, No 138	40	22	8 4 0
Grey Drills—			
Popperell "Dragon"	32	40	31 0 0
Ralli's Muajid No. 425	36	40	17 8 0
White Shirtings—			
Lipmans' No. 1500	38	42	28 0 0
H.B.T.C. 40,000	36	40	28 0 0
H.B.T.C. 32,000	36	40	28 0 0
White Nainsooks—			
Ralli's Nos. 7070/9090	27	18	5 4 0
,, No. 1920	27	18	4 12 0
,, No. 2262GT.B.	39	22	7 12 0
Graham's Nos. 86/8686	38	18	6 6 0
,, No. 50000	34	18	8 12 0
Greaves' No. 8000T.B.	38	22	—
Ritchie's 3500/4510 5520	39	18	5 2 0
White Mulls—			
Ralli's No. 6	41	18	9 0 0
,, ,, 60	46	18	10 0 0
,, ,, 600	51	18	12 0 0
,, ,, 6000	56	18	14 0 0
,, ,, 88	58	20	16 1 0
,, ,, 818	39	20	10 10 0
Ritchie's No. 975	50	18	10 0 0
,, ,, 615	60	18	9 8 0
,, ,, 66000	40	18	7 0 0
,, ,, 1260	27	18	—
Greaves' No. 5000	27	18	4 0 0
Graham's No. 420	36	18	8 4 0

JAPANESE CLOTHS.

The following are the prices ruling in the bazaar of well-known Japanese Cloths:—

Grey Shirtings—	Ins.	Yds.	Rs. a. p.
No. 55000	44	38	18 8 0
No. 100	,,	,,	21 8 0
No. 200	,,	,,	21 8 0
No. 2005	,,	,,	—
No. 220	,,	,,	18 — 0
No. 2300	,,	,,	19 2 0
No. 7200	,,	,,	26 8 0
No. 3800	,,	,,	23 12 0
No. 4100	,,	,,	23 12 0
No. 5100	,,	,,	,,
No. 3000	33	38	—
No. 666	,,	,,	17 — 0
No. 181	32	36	—
No. 191	38	38	—
Grey Sheetings—			
9 Dragons	36	36	17 4 0
"C" Quality	36	36	17 4 0
"Boosh Dev"	36	36	—
Grey Drills—			
Blackburn	39	44	27 2 0

CURRENT BANK RATES.

England	5 per cent	April	5 1917
France	5 per cent	Aug.	29 1914
Germany	5 per cent	Dec.	23 1914
Russia	6 per cent	July	26 1914
Italy	5 per cent	Nov.	11 1917
Netherlands	4½ per cent	July	1 1918
Belgium	5 per cent	Aug.	20 1914
Austria-Hungary	5 per cent	April	10 1915
Sweeden	5½ per cent	Jan.	21 1918
Spain	4½ per cent	Oct.	25 1914
India—Bombay	5 per cent	June	12 1919
India—Bengal	5 per cent	June	5 1919
India—Madras	6 per cent	June	9 1919

STOCK OF COTTON PIECE-GOODS IN BOMBAY WAREHOUSES.

On the last day of the month.	In 1919. Bales.	Cases.	Totals.	In 1918. Bales.	Cases.	Totals
Jan.	54,249	9,253	63,502	34,550	19,162	53,712
Feb.	53,851	8,650	62,501	47,078	17,392	64,470
March	52,483	7,857	60,340	43,068	14,645	57,713
April	48,430	7,136	55,566	43,541	12,509	56,050
May	44,289	5,940	50,229	40,074	12,780	52,854
June	39,473	5,144	41,617	43,411	12,349	55,660
July	33,075	4,690	37,765	49,712	11,672	55,384
Aug.				34,533	9,275	43,808
Sept.				33,482	8,964	47,446
Oct.				46,772	9,284	55,156
Nov.				51,512	9,469	60,981
Dec.				52,810	9,389	62,199

INDIAN WAR LOAN.

BOMBAY POST OFFICE SECTION.

Bombay, Aug. 22nd.

			Total up-to-date.
Loan	Rs.	570-0	Rs. 1 29,42-
Cash Certificates	,,	4,671-12	,, 2,27,813-
	Total	5,661-12	,, 3,89,85-12

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STOCKS AND DELIVERIES.

Stocks and Deliveries of Cotton, Silk and Woollen Piece-goods and Yarns, also of Copper and Yellow Metal Sheets (including deliveries from Docks-sheds to Railway-sidings.)

Description.		A Stock on 30th June 1919.	B* Imports during July 1919.	C Stock on 31st July 1919.	D Approximate total deliveries during July 1919.	E Increase or Decrease of Stock as compared with previous month.	Corresponding Stocks on 31st July. 1918.	1917.	1916.	1915.	1914.
(1) Cotton Piece-goods	Bales.	36,473	4,045	33,075	7,443	—3,398	49,712	29,887	24,281	51,263	50,024
(2) Cotton Piece-goods	Cases.	5,144	1,758	4,690	2,212	—454	11,672	25,435	32,084	60,484	32,515
(3) Silk and Woollen Piece-goods	Bales.	1,282	95	1,154	223	—128	1,334	721	334	762	974
(4) Silk and Woollen Piece-goods	Cases.	1,257	1,053	1,196	1,114	— 61	1,083	1,613	897	1,853	2,505
(5) Cotton Twist and Yarns†	Packages.	6,631	455	5,518	1,568	—1,113	8,692	3,894	6,713	9,241	10,286
(6) Silk and Woollen Twist and Yarns	Packages.	3,646	669	3,389	926	—257	2,774	2,069	2,285	2,449	1,514
(7) Copper—Braziers	Tons.	† 43	382	20	406	—23	438	1,382	2,757	4,153	4,805
(8) Yellow Metal—Braziers	Tons.	† 292	285	137	440	—155	131	417	1,004	1,969	3,958

*B. Including imports from Japan as follows:—(1) 1187, (2) 90, (3) Nil, (4) 653, (5) 19, (6) 171, (7) Nil, (8) 4.

†Corrected.

N.B.—Approximate Total Deliveries (Column D) are arrived at by adding Column A and Column B and deducting therefrom Column C. It should be noted, however, that the figures in Column B are obtained from the Bills of Entry and that the goods which they represent may not have been actually received in the Docks during the month named. The Total Delivery Figures, therefore while working out correctly in the long run, can only be considered as approximate in regard to each particular month.

MILL-STORES AND CHEMICALS.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Bombay, Aug. 22.

Bombay, during the last couple of months, is witnessing a commercial renaissance, as every dawn brings us the news of the starting of a new concern. The public too have readily responded to this imperative call by subscribing to the shares. However, there have been few attempts to revive the industrial growth in India. India—especially Bombay Presidency—has to depend upon foreign countries for the import of heavy chemicals, such as Zinc Chloride, Sodium Sulphide, Dichromate of Potash and Soda, Bleaching Powder, Magnesium Chloride, etc., etc. We think in such times, when the country is passing through the throes of economic regeneration, every attempt in the direction of industrial enterprise, such as the manufacture of Chemicals, Dyes, Mill-sundries, etc., would be most welcome, if it is properly organised. If the intelligence and riches of the country were to vigorously combine, we are sure, the result would be nothing, but marvellous success. We do not wish to minimise the importance of already existing chemical factories, but the chemicals manufactured by these factories are of a simpler process, whereas, the important chemicals remain to be imported from foreign countries. It is reported, however, that a well-known firm has undertaken to promote the preparations of various acids, and the scheme has already passed its embryonic stage, and the shares are over-subscribed by the promoters and their friends. We would welcome the enterprise, and wish every success.

The arrivals from Home of various chemicals, such as Caustic Soda, Bleaching Powder, Soda Ash, Magnesium Chloride, Zinc Chloride, etc., have been fair during the last weeks. The market for the same remaining with the usual lethargy and dullness, with nothing fresh to report, excepting some activity in the transactions of Bleaching. The quotations for Bleaching are nearly Rs. 22 per cwt., for fresh 35 per cent.

Among Sizing starches, Farina K. and Sago are high as in last week. Other starches such as Maize starch, Wheat starch, etc., have slow and well-maintained demand. The quotations from Home as well as from Japan has been also offering several chemicals such as Zinc, Sodium, Bleaching, etc., but the test of these Japanese chemicals being weak, they do not fetch good prices. However, the eagerness of Japan to compete the foreign countries is worthy of note. The quotations are as follows:—

Eng. Zinc Chloride, Rs. 23 to Rs. 26.
Amer. Zinc Chloride, Rs. 15 to Rs. 20.
Eng. Sodium Sulphide, Rs. 10 to Rs. 12.
Amer. Sodium Sulphide, Rs. 8 to Rs. 10.
Eng. Caustic Soda, U. A., Rs. 23 to Rs. 26.
Bleaching Powder, Rs. 22.
Bichromate of Potash, Rs. 95 to Rs. 100.
Brown Sugar of Lead, Rs. 100.
Epsom Salt, Rs. 24.
Sulphuric Acid, Rs. 12-8.
Sago, Rs. 18/20.
Farina K., Rs. 27/29.
Tapiaco, Rs. 19/24.
Glaber Salt, Rs. 5.
Washing Soda, Rs. 7.
Turkey Red Oil, 50 per cent., Rs. 33.
Soft Soap, Rs. 18 to Rs. 22.
Mutton Tallow, 100 per cent., Rs. 50.
Spindle Oil, Rs. 2-10.
Cylinder Oil, Rs. 3-8.

MILL-STORES.

There has been practically no fluctuation in the quotations of various sundries of mill-stores. The tone of the market is dull as usual, and no animation appears to stir up the local transactions. The eagerness on part of the stock-holders to get rid of their stocks is almost unabated. At the same time very few consignments of mill-stores arrive in the Bombay harbour, hence, the outlook is totally uncertain. However, there does exist a section of merchants, who holds quite an optimistic view, that the present lethargy in the mill-store market will once again fade away and there shall be a sudden change. The argument advanced by such a section is the grave industrial crisis in England and the high quotations from Home for booking indents.

There has been, however, a distinct facility in freight, and more is expected still. This will go to regulate the arrivals, and disputes for the time of delivery of goods will be practically nil.

Again the Exchange has some effect. A sovereign till now equalled nearly Rs. 12, but at the present exchange rate it equals Rs. 10-14-0, which, though disadvantageous to exporters has some advantages for importers. But again a proportionate reduction in prices of the articles is also expected due to this change.

The demand for Healds has remained steady, as the old stocks are being consumed, there is a general scarcity felt in the market. The quotations vary from Rs. 1-12-0 to Rs. 2 per 800 eyes. Bombay mills have greater demand for red eyes Healds, which are quoted somewhat higher. The quotations for other articles are as follows:—

Healds, Rs. 1-11-0 to Rs. 2.
Reeds, Rs. 0-3-6 to Re. 0-5-0.
Roller Cloths, Kenyon, Rs. 4 to Rs. 5.
Lime Pickers (Lion), Rs. 65.
Oily Pickers (Headmost), Rs. 70.
Raw Hide Pickers (Broomlay), Rs. 95 to Rs. 100.
Picking Bands Hairy, Rs. 2-12.
Shuttles 13½in. Eng., Rs. 30/35.
Shuttles 13½in. Jap., Rs. 7/10.
Shuttles 14½in. Eng., Rs. 55.
Shuttles 14½in. Jap., Rs. 25 to Rs. 30.
Slubbings Jap., Rs. 80.
Rowings Jap., Rs. 35.
Ring-travellers Ed., Rs. 1.
Ring-travellers Jap., Rs. 0-8-0.

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

Bombay, Aug. 22.

The arrival of s. s. Havildar from Java with 68,500 bags of sugar and continual rumour that the Exchange will be raised to 2s. per rupee together with easier advices from all quarters, has caused our dealers to reduce the price for ready sugar by more than three rupees per cwt. and forward positions by five shillings per cwt. all round, while the market remains in a depressed condition. There was great pleasure to sell White Javas by firms and speculators and business was done in August/October shipments at 52s. 9d. to 53s. and there are sellers to-day at 46s. F. B. Harbour. The Karachi and Calcutta markets are reported depressed with a decline of Re. 5 per cwt. and forward business is at a standstill. Java market is very quiet and has declined 8 gilders in value and there are sellers at 47s. c.i.f. Bombay for September/October shipment. There is no news from Mauritius.

The following are the Bazar rates and stocks:—

T.M.O. Rs. 28 equal to 46s. F. B. Harbour, stocks 140,000 bags.
Brown Rs. 26 equal to 40s. F. B. Harbour, stocks 4,000 bags.
Soft, no stocks.
Mauritius, Rs. 28.

The mail steamer Kaiser-i-Hind which left Bombay on the 2nd instant, arrived Marseilles on Thursday, the 21st instant.

The total subscriptions for the new Indian loan up to the 20th instant are, Rs. 14,42,87,000, inclusive of Rs. 9,822,775 in shape of war bonds.

BANKS.

Names and Amount Paid up	Face value	Div. Paid.	Last Div. Rs p.a.	Quotation nett to buyers.
	Re.			Rs.
INDIAN BANKS.				
Allahabad Bank	100	Feb.-Aug.	16%	220
Alliance Bk. of Simla Ld.	100	Jan.-Aug.	17½	295
Bank of Baroda Rs. 50	100	Jan.-July	11%	94
Bank of Bombay	500		15%	2,305
Bank of Bengal	500	Jan.-July	17½	1,030
Bank of India Rs. 50	100	do.	15%	152
Bank of Madras	500	do.	12½	1,400
Central Bk. of India Rs. 25	50		8¾	50
Central Co-op Bk. Rs. 50	50		7%	52
National Financing	25	Feb.-Oct.	8½	26
The Tata Indl. Bk Rs 75	75			90
EXCHANGE BKS.				
Chartered Bank	20	April-Oct.	15%	27½
Eastern Bank. Ld. £4	10		7%	161
Mercantile Bank 12½ A	25	Mar.-Sept.	14%	37.10
12½ B	25	Sept.-Mar.	14%	37.10
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	$ 125		35%	113
National Bank of India £12½	625		20%	950

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad Dholka Ry.	100	Mar.-Aug.	7½	115
Ahmedabad Prantej Ry.	500	do.	9½	575
Amritsar Patty	100	Mar.-Aug.	9½	115
Central Provinces Ry.	100	June.-Jan.	5	100
Chapermukh-Silghat	100	Mar.-Sept.	6	75
Dhond Baramati	100	Jan.-July	4½	80
Futwah-Islampur Rs. 50	100	Mar.-Sept.	6	50
Gujerat Ry.	100	June-Jan.	5	92
Hoshiarpur Doab	100	Jan.-July	4½	95
Larkhana Railway	100		6	90
Mandra Bhoa Ry. Rs. 90	100	April-Oct.	5	77
Mymensingh Bhairab Bazaar Ry.	100		6	86
Pachora Jamner	100	Jan.-July	6	80
Sara Sirajganj Ry.	100	May-Nov.	4½	82
Shalkot Narowal	100	April-Oct.	5	95
Sind Light Rys. Ld.	100	July-Dec.	6	145
Upper Sind Light Ry.	100		5	105
Tapti Valley Ry.	500	April-Aug.	9½	575
The Khulna Bhagirghat Ry.	100		6	100

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

			Half Year div.	
Ahmedabad Advance	500	April-Oct.	Rs. 120	1,500
Alliance Cotton	100	—	7	160
Akola	100	—	5	125
By Cotton Manufg.	500	—	50	740
By. Dyeing & Mfg. Co.	250	Mar.-Sept.	30	1,880
Bombay United	250	—	25	1,200
Bradbury Mills	250	—	50	425
Century	100	Mar.-Sept.	28½	570
Central India C.	500	May-Nov.	210	2,710
Central India F.	500	May-Nov.	15%	430
China	1,000	April-Oct.	50	560
Colaba Land & Mill	70	—	40	2,340
Coorla	1,00	Mar.-Sept.	75	980
Crescent	170	do.	25	270
Currimbhoy	250	do.	30	425½
David	250	do.	20	300
Dawn	230	do.	60	420
Edward Sassoon	200	May-Nov.	15	325 xd
Emperor Edward	200	do.	65	822½
Fazulbhoy	250	Mar-Sept.	70	950
Framji Petit	250	May	75	1,030
Finlay Mills	1,000	April-Oct.	Nil.	670
Gold Mohor	250	—	125	1,300
Globe	500	—	Nil.	140
Hindustan	100	—	140	1,100
Hyderabad	1,000	April Oct.	200	1,600
Ind. Dyeing and Bleaching	100	do.	12½	250
Indian Manufg.	1,000	—	100	860
Indo-China Mfg.	250	Mar.-Sept.	—	255
Indore Malwa	1 00	April-Oct.	17½	300
Jamshedpur Manufg.	250	Mar.-Sept.	Nil.	100
Jewraj Balloo	1 000	April Oct.	40	600½
Kastoorchand	500	Mar.-Sept.	Nil.	1,510
Khandesh	1 000	June-Dec.	100	1,470
Khatao	1 000	June-Dec.	700	2,500
Kohinoor	500	Mar.-Sept.	70	1,070
Lakshmi Cotton	1 000	Mar.-Aug.	150	1,900
Madhowji Dharamsi	500	Apr.-Sept.	125	2,255
Makhuradas Mills	500	—	100	1,100
Madras United	1 000	June.-Dec.	50	1,000
Maneckji Petit	1 000	Mar.-Sept.	200	2,850
Mayer Sassoon	100	do.	Nil.	160
Morarjee Goculdas	1 000		400	3,100
Nowah of Cambay	250	April-Oct.	20	400
New Great Eastern	200	—	10	455
New City of Bombay	500	April-Oct.	120	1,725
Pabasey	250	—	Nil.	225
Pearl	250	—	50	657½
Phoenix	100	Mar.-Sept.	50	570
Planet Mill	100	—	5	155
Premier	65	—	Nil	92½ prm
Providency	125	Jan.-July	—	120
Sassoon Cotton	1 000	April-Oct.	150	800
Sassoon Silk	500	April	50	450
Sir Shapurji Broacha Mills	100	—	Nil.	221½
Sholapore	1,000	do.	250	2,000
Simplex	250	June.-Dec.	100	710
Standard Mills	500	Mar.-Sept.	125	2,250
Swan	250	Oct.	Nil.	770
Swadeshi	500	Mar.-Oct.	150	2,640
Tata O	500	—	8½	1,256
Tata P	500	—	6	420
Textile Mill	500	—	—	405
Vishnu Cotton. O	500	—	75	1,125
P	500	—	7	500
Western India	1,000	—	150	715
Mysore Spinning	255	Feb.-Aug.	10½	625

MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES.

Names and Amount Paid up.	Face value	Div. Paid	Last Div. Rs p.a.	Quotation nett to buyers.
	Re.		Rs.	
Andhra Valley O 600	1 000	—	4%	1,025
Andhra Valley P 600	1,000	—	4%	725
Ahmedabad Elec.	100	—	4%	200½
Alcock Ashdown Co.	100	Oct.-May	100	250
All India U. Co. Ld. Rs 20	100	August	—	4
Bamangwa	5	—	4%	5½
Back Bay Bath	50	—	6	60 nom.
Badhan Pile	75	—	10	100
Baroda Trams Co.	100	Feb.-Aug.	Nil.	40
Brick and Tile	100	—	Nil	90
By. Burma T. Corporation	125	—	25	1,055
By. Burma T. Corporation New Issue Rs	125	—	—	400 p.m
British Burma Petroleum	5	Mar.-Oct	—	27
By. Electric Supply P and T. Co. Ltd. O.	510	—	9	164
B'by Ice Mfg.	510	—	10	785
Bombay Flour Mill	40	—	2	10
Bombay Steam O	500	Jan.-Aug.	150	2,050
Navigation Co. P	250	Mar.-Sept.	125	400
Bundi Hydraulic Lime and Cement	250	Oct.	632	230
Central M. Co., Ltd.	10	—	2	50½
Empire of L. Life Rs. 50	10	—	4	40
The Eastern O	500	April	62½	600
Chemical Co. Pfd.	15	—	6%	20
Indian Cement Co.	100	—	Nil.	50
O	250	—	20	310
P	100	—	5	327½
Katni Cement	40	—	44½	1,700
Q	40	—	7½	100
Indian Cotton Oil Co. D100	100	Dec.-July	7%	75 nom.
P200	250	Dec.-July	7%	215
John Roberts & Co.	100	Oct.-July	16	227½
Jost's Eng. Co., Ltd.	50	Oct.	30%	105
Kamp & Co.	200	July	20	170
Kurramsee Landing Rs. 75	200	—	—	140
Mareks & Co.	100	July	8	80
McKenzies Ltd.	100	—	20	305
Moreland Price Co.	100	—	6%	94
Mazagaon Price Co.	100	—	7½	76
New Union Flour Mills	100	—	25	235
O. Govt. S. Life A. Rs. 50	200	May	20%	550
Phillips & Co.	40	July	Nil.	42½
Port Canning Co.	1,000	Sept.	40	995
Shivraipur Syad etc.	10	—	4	44
Sirdar Carbne Gas Co.	100	Mar.-Aug.	35%	117
Sidley Ice Mfg. Co.	100	—	—	100
Swadeshi Stores	100	Sept.	20%	120
O	75	Sept.	6	227½
Tata Iron&Steel Co. D	30	—	20	1,105
P	100	Mar.-Sept.	6%	140
Tata Iron Or (Nuse Dfd	75	—	—	120
Tata Hydro Elec. C	1 000	Jan.	8%	1,430
P	1 000	Jan.	7	1,045
Tata "Iron" Pref (second)	10	—	100	1 prm.
Tata Hydro Dev. con Fo	1 000	April-Oct	5½	6½ prm.
Thacker & Co.	50	June	50%	270
Tobacco Co.	25	—	6	300
Tata Oil Mills	50	—	—	420
Bombay Gas Co. Ltd. Ord. Rs. 50	100	Dividend	40%	premium
Do. Pref.	—			

SUBURBS.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 21.

S S Suram—Hill—Rangoon, August 5.

Aug. 23.

S S Argonanta—Pearson—Benmont—Texas, July 11

DEPARTURES.

Aug. 22.

S S Diyatalawa—Edward—Hull.

S S Banka—Hanson—Bangkok via Colombo.

The following vessels obtained their port-clearances yesterday.

S S Aras—Nesbitt—Mahomerah.
S S Shustar—Perry—Jeddah via Aden.
S S Sandan—Brooks—London etc.
S S Queda—Moxon—Rangoon.

S S Suram:—The steamer Suram, 2,338 tons, Captain F J Hill, arrived in harbour on Thursday from Rangoon, with a cargo of kerosine oil, which port she had left on 5th instant.

S S Argonanta:—The steamer Argonanta 3,161 tons, Captain S C Pearson, arrived in harbour yesterday from Benmont Texas, with a cargo of 6,596 tons petroleum, which port she had left on 11th ultimo

S S Banka:—The G Arbuthnot Company's steamer Banka, 1,049 tons, Captain E J Hanson, sailed yesterday from Bombay harbour for Bangkok via Colombo, with a general cargo.

S S Aras:—The Shaw Wallace Company's steamer Aras, 2,071 tons, Captain J D Nesbitt, will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for Mahomerah, with a general cargo.

S S Shustra:—The P G S N Company's steamer Shustar, 1,718 tons, Captain D E Perry, will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for Jeddah via Aden, with a general cargo and 14 pilgrims.

S S Sondan:—The P & O S N Company's steamer Sondan, 4,217 tons, Captain C Brooks, will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for London via Aden, Suez, Port Said and Marseilles, with a general cargo and 5 passengers.

S S Queda:—The B I S N Company's steamer Queda, 4,944 tons, Captain W Moxon, will sail to-day from Bombay harbour for Rangoon with ballast.

VESSELS IN THE BOMBAY DOCKS.

Friday 22nd August 1919:

PRINCE'S DOCK

A Havildar	N F	N F	..T M & Co
B Unkai Maru	Kobe	30-8-19	..N Y K
C & R Luzon			
Maru	Kobe	23-8-19	..O S K
D & E			
Alesia	N F	N F	..M M & Co
F Reima	Hull	N F	..Graham & Co
Offalde			
G Dwarka	N F	N F	..M M & Co
K Ismaila	N F	N F	..M M & Co
K Aras	Abadan	23-8-19	..S W & Co
L Purnea	N F	N F	..M M & Co
M Wisley	N F	N F	..Graham & Co
N Penrose	Hull	N F	..Graham & Co
O War Isis	London	23-8-19	..D B I M
P Isle of Lewis	Hull	N F	..Graham & Co
Q Banka	Bangkok	22-8-19	..G A & Co
30 ton crane			
Q Utopia	N F	N F	..H S Shushtary & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Indravati	N F	N F	..K N & Co
Netravati	N F	N F	..K N & Co
Oporto	N F	N F	..K N & Co
Satrungi	N F	N F	..K N & Co
Saraswati	N F	N F	..K N & Co
Sabarmati	N F	N F	..K N & Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

1 Okara	Bassein	25-8-19	..
2 Kowrit	—	—	..T M & Co
4 Saigon Maru	Japan	5-9-19	..O S Kaisha
5 Pandua	Zanzibar	N F	..M M & Co
8 Shustar	Jeddah	23-8-19	..H S Shustary
9 Abydas	N F	N F	..M M & Co
10 & 11 Rheinfels	London	28-8-19	..Graham & Co
12 Nankin	London	30-8-19	..M M & Co
15 Bandra	P Gulf	25-8-19	..M M & Co
16 Kaara	N F	N F	..M M & Co

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

1 Himalaya	Marseilles	23-8-19	..M M & Co
2 Shuja	N F	N F	..T M & Co
3 Cooevanna	Busra	26-8-19	..M M & Co
5 Kandahar	Calcutta	27-8-19	..W & A G & Co
6 Margha	Karachi	24-8-19	..M M & Co
7 Circassia	Liverpool	24-8-19	..W & A G & Co
8 Karagola	E & S Africa	27-8-19	..M M & Co
9 Chakdina	Busra	24-8-19	..M M & Co
10 Courland	Marmagoa	N F	..K N & Co
11 Diyatalawa	Hull	22-8-19	W A A G & Co
12 Dilwara	Shanghai	28-8-19	..M M & Co
13 Sandakan	Bushire	27-8-19	..K N & Co
14 Soudan	London	23-8-19	..M M & Co
17 Varsova	Busra	23-8-19	..M M & Co
Offalde & Jetty end Mustra	Rangoon Barala Busra	24-8-19	..M M & Co
	Busra	23-8-19	..M M & Co

EXPORTS.

Aug. 22.

S S Circassia for Liverpool—21 bales wool Nihalchand Girdharilal; 27 bales wool G Chagunmull; 200 bales wool Kasim Jivan; 25 bales wool R M Kooka; 100 bales cotton waste Khimji Visram & Co; 5 cases provision in tin Jeena & Co.

S S Circassia for Barcelona via Marseilles —200 bales cotton Volkart Bros.

S S Circassia for Marseilles—330 cwts groundnut kernels Cox's Shipping Agency.

S S Tanfield for Antwerp—330 bales cotton Lyon, Lord & Co.

S S Reime for Hull—500 bales hemp Gokuldas Virji & Co; 4,005 cwts cotton seed Bombay Company

S S Isle of Lewis for Hull—2,006 cwts myrabollams D B Khan & Co.

S S Nankin for London—10 bales goat skins Allaudin Cassam; 8 bales goat, sheep skins 12 bales cowhides Abba & Ebrahim Haji Mohamed; 7 bales sheep skins 3 bales cowhides Lalukbhoy Hasson & Sons; 20 bales cowhides A A Peerbhoy; 10 bales cowhides G B Nermull; 12 bales woolen carpets J Murray & Co; 80 bundles coir mats Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co.

S S Rheinfels for London—2 531 cwts copra Moosabhoy Jafferbhoy; 7,003 cwts copra K M Nathoo; 2 pots rosa oil Ramji Purshotam.

S S War Isis for London—20 cwts cassein C N S Jinawalla & Co; 100 cwts cashew kernels 89 bales goat sheep skins Walker & Co; 52 casks goat skins 16 bales calf skins H M Halim; 36 bales calf skins Inamdar Abdul Rahman & Co; 60 bales buffalo skins H M Halim; 337 cwts coffee T Kanji & Co; 850 cwts copra 3,300 cwts linseed 884 cwts niger seed K M Nathoo.

S S Saigon Maru for Kobe—1,000 bales cotton Mitsui Bussan Kaisha; 100 bales cotton David Sassoon & Co; 300 bales cotton G Dossa & Co; 400 bales cotton Yokohama Kuto Kwaisha; 100 bales cotton Abdoola Allarakhia & Co.

S S Saigon Maru for Osaka—700 bales cotton Yokohama Kuto Kwaisha.

S S Saigon Maru for Yokohama—700 bales cotton Yokohama Kuto Kwaisha.

S S Dilwara for Hongkong—9 bales cotton grey yarn Esoofally Sharafally & Co; 200 bales cotton grey yarn Tata Sons & Co; 32 cwts ooplate 66 cwts sandal wood E S Abdul Kayum; 2 cwts ivory F K N Miani.

S S Dilwara for Shanghai—800 bales cotton grey yarn Tata Sons & Co; 100 bales cotton grey twist David Sassoon & Co; 20 bales cotton shirting cold Currimbhoy & Co.

WEATHER REPORT.

S S Suram, Captain F J Hill, arrived here from Rangoon, weather experienced during the voyage, strong monsoon

The O S K steamer Kasado Maru (Outward bound) arrived at Singapore on the 21st instant.

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BY

Mahatma Gandhi

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CITY'S MORTALITY.

During the 24 hours ended 6 a.m., Friday, there were 1 attack and 2 deaths and no attack and no death from small-pox and cholera in the City. The total number of deaths from all causes was 144 as against 73 on the corresponding day of last year and 81 on the same day of the year before last.

STUDENTS' FEDERATION

The lecture of Prof. McDoweil, on "Ireland past and present," which was to be delivered to-day, is postponed to Saturday the 20th instant, owing to unavoidable circumstances.

"DUTIES OF A MOTHER."

Under the auspices of Balsara's Tuition Class Dhobi Talao, to-morrow at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) Miss Najamai F. Master will deliver a lecture on "Duties of a Mother towards her children." Mr. Bhimbhai N. Desai the Educational Inspector will preside, and deliver the prizes to the successful students.

ISRAELITE BROTHERHOOD.

The Bible Class for children under 12 years of age conducted by Mr. Abraham Samson Shahapurker will be held this afternoon at 3-30 p.m. and the Jewish History Class will meet to-night as usual commencing 8 p.m.

At to-morrow's meeting, Mr. D. M. Samuel will deliver a lecture on "Zionism" at 4 p.m. The above classes and the lecture will be at the Institution's premises, 2nd Peerkhan Street Byculla.

SHIKSHANONNATI MANDAL.

Under the auspices of the above Mandal a public meeting will be held to-day at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Vanita Vishram Hall, Sandhurst Road, to explain the aims and objects of the Mandal and its Shikshan Fund.

Dr. N. D Sawarkar, Messrs. Shaikhally Gulamhusain, D. S. Yande, Mrs. Avantikabai Gokhalay, and Mr. D. S. Deodhar, will be among the principal speakers, and Mr. Padamsey Narseybhai will preside.

ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE.

St. Xavier's celebrates its Golden Jubilee this year in November, and in connection with it, it is desired to have as complete a register as possible of all students.

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The Hon. Secretaries will also thankfully receive from the Xaverians any donations or contributions towards the expenses of the proposed Jubilee Celebration. An illustrated record of the foundation growth and the present position of St. Xavier's is in preparation and a copy of the book will be presented as a souvenir to every donor of Rs. 10 or more.

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BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS.

BANDMAN OPERA COMPANY'S LAST WEEK.

The Bandman Opera Company is now entering on the last week of its season at the Excelsior Theatre, and the present arrangements are that it finishes up on Friday next preparatory to sailing for Egypt on the following day. For to-night's attraction one of the most popular pieces, "Mr. Manhattan," is being presented; to-morrow at 5-30 p.m. "To-night's The Night" and as regards next week's arrangements, the chief interest will be on Monday and on the farewell night the programme on both occasions being vaudeville,—an entirely new vaudeville, too. On Tuesday we are to have a repetition of "The Maid of the Mountains," with the same cast as was so successful last week-end; on Wednesday "A Waltz Dream" is to be once more placed upon the stage; and for Thursday the attraction is to be "Yes, Uncle!" Though the company under the present tentative arrangements is to bid us *au revoir* at the end of next week it is not at all unlikely that we shall see some of the members back again before many moons have waned in a new company which the Bandman combination is sending to the East.

EXCELSIOR.

If there are any who have not seen Hall Caine's finest novel produced on the legitimate stage, at least they have an opportunity this week at the Excelsior Theatre of seeing the next best thing—a cinema film which presents all the best features of the novel and the drama and in addition has the advantage of featuring in the leading role the author's son, Derwent Hall Caine, whose wonderful acting in "The Deemster," which was produced at the Excelsior only a few weeks ago, is still fresh in the public memory.

"The Christian" is in many respects Hall Caine's masterpiece. It presents characterization of a strength which is almost unique, and it gives us a story of strong human interest and strong human passion which cannot fail to sustain interest. And on the production of the film no effort has been spared to make it blemishless, and just as this novel is the novel of the last century so it is claimed that this film is also the film of a century. The author's son takes the part in it of John Storm, a clergyman of rugged character and passionate earnestness, who takes to the Church as a profession in spite of the fact that his titled father is strongly opposed to it and lives a life which is devoted to the poor. In his boyhood days his principal playmate was Glory Quayle (a character played with signal success by Elizabeth Risdon). Glory is at one time a nurse in a hospital of which John Storm is the chaplain, but she forsakes her "mission of mercy" for a stage career, and the climax of the story comes when the priest sees the safety of his church threatened because it is wanted, above all things, as a theatre in which Glory is to perform.

Some remarkably strong acting is to be appreciated in the scene in which John Storm goes to Glory and tells her to pray, because her hour has come, and her death is at hand. But John Storm sees when his madness has left him that Glory is still the same innocent Glory of old, though she has been led away by false friends, and instead of Glory meeting her death it is the clergyman, who is set upon by a revengeful mob of those to whom he has ministered because they see in him one who has hastened the Judgment Day by preaching on the race course against the evils of gambling.

Some remarkably fine acting is to be seen in this film. It is being shown at the Excelsior at 6-30 each evening with the exception of Sunday, when the time is 10 o'clock.

EMPIRE.

At this theatre are to be shown some interesting topical pictures illustrating scenes at the Victory fetes in Paris and London, and in addition there is a strong dramatic attraction in an adaptation from the play of M. Emile Fabre—"A House of Clay", which has been staged by M. Gaston Ravel. This is a film story of an exceptionally interesting kind which makes a strong appeal to the emotions. And it revives an old controversey—"should widows and widowers remarry? Is it fair to their children?" There are those who argue that when two people have inflicted life on a child then those people are in the position of the debtor and the child in that of the creditor.

The film is well produced, provides us with some excellent acting, and is beyond reproach as far as the photography is concerned. It concerns two children, Valentine and John, who have had their childhood saddened by the incompatibility of and disagreement between their parents. When they are five and six years old respectively, a divorce decree is passed by which the little girl is entrusted to her mother and the boy to his father.

Many years elapse, Valentine has grown up under an indifferent step-father and a mother whose love is entirely absorbed by the charming daughter Margaret, born of her second marriage. At 24 years Valentine is a young girl of a serious, austere and frigid disposition. She has not been quite ignorant of, or disinterested in, the fortune of her parents. That fortune is in the name of Mrs. Armieres, and she and her husband are devoted to Margaret and intend to sacrifice Valentine in her favour. However, Valentine decides to ask for an accounnt of her share of the fortune, and Mrs. Armieres, suspecting her to be in love, surprises her in intimate conversation with one who proves to be her own son, now a skilled mechanic, and afraid to approach his elegant mother, on account of his socially inferior rank and appearance. However, he makes bold to disclose to his mother a plan whereby he wishes to become the director of the works where he holds a highly esteemed and trusted position. His mother is still hard-hearted and relentless, but she at last recognizes her own duties to her children, raises them to the position they deserve, and restores them to happiness.

Thus she founds "A House of Love" on the foundations of "A House of Clay."

IMPERIAL.

In the ninth episode of "The Lightning Raider," the new Pathe serial featuring Pearl White, Lightning, through the machinations of Wu Fang, her ancient enemy, runs afoul of the forces of law and order. Lightning and her friend, Tom Norton, have determined to invoke the aid of the police in capturing Wu Fang and Tom goes to the District Attorney's office to tell his story. There he finds that Wu Fang has been ahead of him and has already accused Lightning of having a phial of germs in her possession. Meanwhile Wu Fang leaves the District Attorney's office and does a thing exceedingly characteristic. He takes with him another Chinaman and goes to Lightning's apartments. When he leaves the Chinaman lies murdered in the girl's apartments and Wu knows that the police, who are on their way to arrest Lightning, will accuse her of the murder. This actually happens and Lightning at the end of the episode is compelled to flee from the police, who are now hot on her trail, believing her guilty of a crime which she did not commit.

The Lightning Raider will be shown to-night by the Imperial together with Pathe Gazette and a Parisian comedy.

NEW ALEXANDRA.

Three more episodes of "The Mystery of the Double Cross" will be screened tonight at the New Alexandra. The action centres about the attempt of Bridgey to force Philippa to marry him. Bentley has discovered the details of a secret stock transaction contemplated by Philippa's father. He knows that if this information were made public the Brewster family will be ruined, and the fortunes of Brewster's friends swept away. Philippa, determined to save her father, agrees to marry the man she fears and hates. Her father learns of her contemplated sacrifice and forbids the marriage. How Philippa is rescued from a painful ordeal by the Masked stranger forms one of the most exciting and thrilling episodes of this novel serial.

MAJESTIC

Presents during this week another Indian production Ahalya Ooddhar the latest offering of the Hinduathan Cinema Film Co. of "Birth of Krishna" fame. This new feather in the cap of the manufacturer is all the more splendid as it discusses some vital problems of the ever growing fashions of to-day. Ahalya, the daughter of a ruling prince is married to a sage and she not only willingly accepts her father's choice but is not all reluctant or displeased at adopting herself to her new home, which was nothing more than a hermitage. Then we come to King Dasratha, who for the sake of his promise, sends his little sons Rama and Laxuman to defend the sacrificial ceremonies of Vishwamitra. Then last but not the least are the fidelity of Ahilya to her husband and the justice meted out to Indra, for his misdeed, which will receive universal approbation.

In justice to this new effort of the manufacture it must be admitted that the photography is almost faultless and the trick photography will appeal to every pious heart as real. There are also some splendid scenic effects and beautiful scenery which proves that India is not void of scenic beauty.

SINKING OF THE KOWEIT.

MARINE COURT'S FINDINGS.

At the Esplanade Police Court the decision of the Marine Court of Enquiry that was held regarding the capsizing of s. s. Koweit was delivered by the president, Mr. A. H. S. Aston,

On the evidence, the court opined that s. s. Koweit would, probably have fallen against the wall even if no parts had been open but that water coming through the oper ports was the cause of her sinking. The ship, in their opinion, was materially damaged. The master did not exercise due care to secure the stability of the ship either before or during time the blinders were to be removed. They disbelieved the evidence as to the alleged report to the Master about the blinders followed immediately by an alleged report to the Marine Superintendent. The evidence of the latter was that he never saw the Chief Officer until after the accident.

As regards question 12 (c) they entirely differed from the opinion expressed by the assessors that the Chief Officer was to blame for not reporting to the master that the orders were not carried out. In their opinion no such order was given.

MASTER'S FAILURE.

In their opinion the Chief Engineer exercised due care in placing coal in the bunkers. They believed that he informed the Chief Officer where he was placing the coal and the evidence showed that ballast tanks were full. They were of opinion the Master failed to realise the responsibility as Master of the ship. That the danger was caused to the ship by his wrongful act in allowing ballast tanks to be implied without taking proper steps to ensure the stability of the ship and owing to the wrongful default of the Master and Chief Officer in not taking proper precautions at 8 a.m. with regard to the work of opening the ports knowing that the ship had listed during the night. As the President and the members had not been asked to deal with any certificates and so both assessors considered that the masts and Chief Officer were not guilty of any wrongful act or default, they did not propose to recommend the suspension or cancellation of a certificate.

DEATH OF A WORKMAN.

SPLASHED WITH IRON MIXTURE.

The Coroner held an inquest touching the death of Raghu Kamla, a workman in the foundry attached to the G. I. P. Railway workshops at Matunga on Wednesday as the result of an accident.

John Gallagher, Foundry Foreman at Matunga said at about 4 p.m., on the 20th he was about a few yards from the furnace supervising the work when he heard something like a splash and went to the spot. He found the door of the furnace blown off and five men, including the deceased, burnt. Coke and iron were being mtlted in the furnace, and the eleven injured men were splashed with the mixture. He sent for the Railway doctor at Matunga, but he did not come and sent stretchers. He could not say why the doctor did not come. The injured men were sent to the Railway dispensary, and the deceased was sent first as he was injured most. There were only two stretchers; the doctor saw them at the dispensary where the injured men were for 45 minutes. As the witness thought that was a long time, he reported the case to the Works Manager who ordered witness to see that the men were taken to the station at Matunga at once for the purpose of being taken to the hospital. Witness spoke to the doctor about the detention of the men so long before he went to the Works Manager. The doctor did not treat them, but took down the numbers. The doctor came with them at the witness suggestion. He did not know the cause of the accident, one of the men told him that he was opening the hole when the door blew out; he did not suspect mischief; the door was examined every day and it was in good order; witness could not say whether the clamps were loose or removed. Medical evidence showed that death was due to shock following burns.

Bhiku Balu a moulder in the workshops said he took a kettle of liquid from the furnace to the Conjee House and was pouring the contents into another vessel when he heard an explosion from the furnace; he went to the spot and saw the above men injured; the door was in good order; probably the clamp of the door was off when the fire was being poked.

Further enquiry was adjourned.

A LADIES' GATHERING.

A ladies' gathering was held under the auspices of the Parel Settlement of the S. S. League on Tuesday the 19th instant at 2 p.m. it being the Gokulashtami day. Dr. Miss Kashibai Navarange, being in the chair. About 300 ladies were present. At the outset the lady superintendent Mrs. Maneramabai Devrukhkar gave a short account of the origin and history of the Ladies' Class held at the settlement and explained to the audience the object in view and the necessity and desirability of such gatherings being held every now and then. After the election of the president Mrs. Sunderabai Vagal and Mrs. Subhadrabai Ekbote addressed the meeting on what women can do at home in their spare hours.

Dr. Miss Kashibai Nowrange complimented the lady Superintendent Mrs. Devrukhkar and the workers of the S. S. League for their zeal and work of social amelioration of the women of the poor classes. After a vote of thanks the Chair and distribution of Halad and Kumkum refreshments were served and the meeting dispersed.

THE HOUSING PROBLEM.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—In my last letter I urged that the Rent Act should be considered a palliative which we should wish to remove as soon as possible instead of falling in love with it and desiring its continuance for ten years. If the people and the Government do their duty, a sufficient number of new buildings can be provided within three years to remove the distress that necessitates the palliative. Until then an income-tax on a sliding scale should be imposed upon rich tenants in consideration of the protection extended to them. The Fund so raised should be used for affording relief to poor residents in the form of bounties to Building Societies for providing cheap-rent chawls.

Running amok with one palliative or another, singing its praise, abusing dissentients, and expecting everybody besides one's own self to do his duty is not the right way to tackle the question of excessive rent. The right way to do so is to study the question in all its bearings with the view to ascertain the circumstances that have originated and aggravated it and then try to remove and counter-act them. Continuous increase in population, wealth, industry and luxury has increased the demand for house accommodation at so rapid a pace as to upset the balance between supply and demand. A further impetus to increasing the demand is given by a growing change in the style of living from the oriental one which required only three rooms to a rich family including two married sons to the English style which requires each couple to live as a separate family and to have separate sitting room, drawing-room, bed-room and kitchen-room. Some people fail to see beyond the war for the causation just as they fail to see beyond the Rent Act for the treatment of the distress under consideration. No doubt the War has had something to do with it. It has raised the cost of living all round, and aggravated the originating cause, raised a rich class that made money by speculation and profiteering and and used a part of it in paying high prices for land and landed property, thereby increasing the rent due for it at a fair rate of interest on the purchase money. But the war is an aggravating cause and not the originating one. The originating cause is the combination of the four co-related agencies mentioned above, viz., increasing industry, population, wealth and luxury. Increasing industry is at the root of the combination. the prosperity of Bombay and its distress arise from the same cause. We should not think of removing that cause, but we should try to counter-act its bad consequences. Foremost amongst them is the undue encroachment upon building space by Mills and Railways and the occupation of landed property in the town by their employees. We require and appreciate railway service and mill industry. Nevertheless, we should take care not to permit undue encroachments upon land and undue occupation of landed property in the town. The creation of new mills in the town should be prohibited altogether. I hear that his Excellency the Governor has decided that there should be no more mills in Bombay, and hope that my information is correct. If it be correct, it is an additional proof of the keen interest taken by his Excellency in the housing problem, and of the sagacity and earnestness with which he has been working at it.

As a healthy check against the wanton waste of house accommodation associated with innovation in the style of living, it is possible to stir up, educate and guide aright the economical conscience of the people of Bombay, and effect, through its agency a revulsion of feeling against such waste. It is not expecting too much to expect well-to-do people to realize that such food and house-accommodation as they can spare from wanton waste would go to make it a little bit less difficult for the poor to get their food and house-accommodation.

There is another encroachment upon habitable land in the town that we should try to reduce. I mean the habitation of horses, bullocks and buffaloes in the town.

Besides attending to the circumstances that have increased the demand we have to attend to the circumstances that have prevented such response in the form of adequate fresh supply, as would have followed in nature's course, if unfavourable circumstances had not prevented it.

We shall hereafter see what the preventive circumstances are and how they can be counter-acted to the extent of providing adequate accommodation to rich people at fair rent and poor people at cheap rate.—Yours, etc.,

J. K. DAJI.

12, Princess Street.
August, 21.

A QUERY.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Will you or any of your numerous readers kindly inform me through the medium of your esteemed journal whether the "Review" edited by Mr. Jayendra Rao, M.A., formerly at 154, Harrison Road, Bara Bazar, Calcutta is now published and where I may now get the back and current volumes?—Yours, etc.,

H. P. GHATAK.

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CHARGE AGAINST A PARSI YOUTH.

At the Esplanade Police Court, Mr. Khairaz, Acting Third Presidency Magistrate, had before him the case in which Superintendent Sykes charged Eruchshaw Dadabhoy Driver, a Parsi youth of twenty-two with theft as a servant, and forgery in respect of two cheques for Rs. 30,000 each belonging to his employers Messrs. James Finlay and Company.

Mr. Payne, Solicitor, with Messrs. Kotwal and Registrar Pleaders, appeared for the accused, while Mr. Little, Solicitor, appeared for Messrs. James Finlay and Company.

The facts of the case in brief, are that the accused was employed as a cashier in the firm of the complainants on the 13th of March last. The accused used to keep the accounts of the Finlay and Swan Mills. He used to handle both cash and cheque books and used to write out cheques according to the vouchers. The cheque book remained with the accused until they came to the assistant manager for signature. In the evening, the accused used to obtain signature from the assistant manager on the cheques and then they were locked in the safe.

On the 17th of July, Mr. Moroba, the Head Clerk on examining the books of Swan Mills found two cheques for Rs. 30,000 each drawn on the National Bank of India, missing. He then sent the assistant manager to the Bank where he (the assistant manager) was shown a cheque for Rs. 30,000 On examining the cheque the assistant manager found that the cheque did not bear his signature. The cheque was dated the 21st June, 1919. The assistant manager, then reported the matter to the police. He then went to his office, examined the books and found that another cheque for Rs. 30,000 was stolen with the counter foil and the same had been cashed at the National Bank of India, on the 14th of May and that the cheque was endorsed by the accused. In consequence of the complaint lodged by the assistant manager, Inspector Dyer made some enquiry and he and Superintendent Sykes arrested the accused on the 17th July at about 9-30 p.m. The accused after his arrest, gave a written statement to Mr. Sykes, in consequence of which Superintendent Sykes and Inspector Dyer went to accused's residence and in the presence of a *punch* and made a search there. There they found property aggregating Rs. 15,689, in cash and notes and a box containing carbon papers, tissue papers and a cheque book. The accused subsequently made a further statement as a result of which they discovered 1,000 second preference shares of the Tata Iron and Steel Company valued at Rs. 11,550, 100, shares of the Tata Industrial Bank, valued at Rs. 7,627-8, Rs. 2,807-6 in the current account of the Central Bank of India and Rs. 3,200 from the friends of the accused whom he had advanced. They also found out two fixed deposit receipts of the Central Bank of India for Rs. 15,000 and 200 shares of the British Burma Petroleum Company and 100 shares of the Scindia Steam Navigation Company.

On the case being called the Magistrate inquired if the accused wished to make any statement.

Mr. Payne replied that it depended on whether the Magistrate was going to commit him to the sessions or not.

His Worship said that he would decide that after he heard what the accused had to say.

NO STATEMENT BY ACCUSED.

The accused then asked by the Court, said that he did not like to make any statement for the present.

Mr. Little then said that having regard to the youth of the accused and to the fact that the money had been recovered, his clients did not like to press the charge beyond the jurisdiction of His Worship's Court.

Superintendent Sykes replying to the Court said that he had no direct evidence of forgery but he had adduced circumstancial evidence.

The Magistrate then said he would think over if he could decide the case himself and that the decision would be delivered on the 26th instant. His Worship also added that if he would try the case, he would, most probably send the accused to Dharwar Juvenile Jail where the accused might have a better surrounding, if they could prove that the accused was under 21 years of age.

FROM LETTERS TO EDITOR.

"A STUDENT" appeals to the Bombay University Senate to extend to B. Com. students the concession of holding the examination twice a year, as in the case of B.A. students.

CHANDRA.—Deprecates the Tupper memorial movements in Kanara and says Mr. Tupper has done nothing so far to deserve a memorial from the people of the district. On the other hand, says the correspondent, when the district was in the grip of dire famine last year Mr. Tupper relentlessly carried out his operations of collecting assessment and appeals for remissions were of little avail with him. The money that may be collected can best be utilised for paying the security demanded from the "Kanara News" or for helping the needy agriculturists in the payment of their assessment.

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ALLAHABAD SEVA SAMITI'S WORK.

Swami Shradhanand sends us the following statement of the work of the Allahabad Seva Samiti in connection with the Punjab Relief Fund!

The work of distributing relief was begun in Amritsar on July, 24th 1919, when a regular office of the Allahabad Seva Samiti was opened in a hired house in Mohulla Serai Md. Buksh, Hall Bazar. Pandit V. N. Tiwary of the Servants of India Society has been put in charge of that branch.

I, myself, began work at Lahore on July 29, and have so far visited Qasur, Lyallpur and Wazirabad where I distributed relief personally. Another gentleman was sent to Gujranwala where he distributed relief to several families. Up to the 16th of August 1919, maintenance allowance for one month, in several cases for two months has been distributed to 62 families from the Lahore headquarters and 220 families from the Amritsar branch of the Seva Samiti. The rush for relief is in full swing now because it was only after a hard silent struggle with the guardians of peace that we succeeded in publishing our notices and in making known our actual aim and object to the masses, hit hard by the excesses of the Martial Law in the Punjab.

Apart from the pecuniary monthly allowance, several families at Amritsar were going in rags and therefore clothes had to be supplied to them. There are some cases of young men of 20 to 25 years old, either killed by ribe shot or hanged, who have left behind them child-widows of age ranging between 11 and 14, with nobody to look after them. We are arranging to have them instructed in sewing by attending some girls' school so that they might be able to earn their living in future. The Seva Samiti will supply each of them with a sewing machine.

We have so far spent about Rs. 5,000 on relief work which means that we are already pledged to spend Rs. 45,000 more during the coming five months on those families to whom assistance has already been given.

The total income from donations up to the 16th August, 1919, is Rs. 9,002-14-0 received at Lahore, a list of which is published with this statement. Rs. 4,000 were received at Amritsar, details of which will be published when received. The list published will show that the only centre of political activity which has earnestly responded to the call, is Bombay. Other prominent centres of activity have not moved at all. Calcutta is said to have subscribed Rs. 50,000, but we have received nothing in cash out of that.

CHARITY AT DISCOUNT.

I know that the Punjab has had public life crushed out of it and even charity is at a discount for fear of those whose interest it is to visit the sins (real or imaginary) of convicts of their suffering families and relations. But the time has arrived when men of intelligence and character should shake off cowardly fear and should boldly come forward to subscribe to the relief fund—not anonymously but—in their own proper names. The Punjab Hindu Sabha, with its President, Shri Raja Narendra Nath, has led the way. It was considered a merit by the Ancient Aryas not to make a show of charity and hence *guptadan* was extolled by their teachers. But in times like the present it is a sin to hide one's charity through fear; for such action on the part of the leaders tells upon the morale of the common people.

I may here remark, by the way, that several mothers, wives and sisters—who are really in want—when asked to take pecuniary aid, burst into tears and implore me to sell all they have, if by doing so their sons, husbands and brothers could get released from jail. As is known throughout India the Hon. Pandit Motilal Nehru is devoting his time and energy in sending appeals from judgments of the Martial Law Courts to the Privy Council. But he cannot be expected to spend thousands from his own pocket in order to enable the appeals to be argued in the Privy Council.

Any sums that I receive, earmarked for assisting the appeals in cases of poor persons (and they are in majority) I will hand over to Pandit Motilal Nehru for deserving cases and a separate account of all items thus earmarked will be kept and published when the work of relief is over.

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ENGLAND, ISLAM AND TURKEY.

To every patriotic and thinking Indian, the outlook for his country is not very cheerful. The hopes that had centred round constitutional reforms have tended to become less substantial as the apathy of the British Government and democracy towards the claims of India for an attentive hearing—markedly revealed in regard to recent unfortunate happenings in the Punjab—has shown no encouraging signs of abatement. While to every Indian the end of war has yet brought no real relief from concern as to future, the Indian Moslem has had to bear a special burden of anxiety. The intensity of feelings that agitate the minds of Moslems—and their anxieties are viewed with the greatest sympathy and goodwill by their fellow-countrymen—can only be realized, as we have on previous occasions emphasised, by those to whom religion is alike the breath and justification of life. Some idea of the anxieties of Indian Moslems was given when Dr. Ansari, as Chairman of the Reception Committee of the last session of the All-India Moslem League, said that never before in their varied history of over thirteen hundred years had the Moslems been faced with a situation as it is to-day. A remarkable testimony to this fact is given by Sir Theodore Morrison in the course of an article on "England and Islam" which he contributes to the current number of the "Nineteenth Century. He writes:

> The view apparently prevailing at the Peace Conference, at which by the way there has not been a single Muhamadan delegate from India, is that outside the Turkish homelands there is no sympathy for Turkey. This is a disastrous blunder. You have but to meet the Muhamadans now in London to realise the white heat to which their anger is rising. In India itself the whole of the Muhamadan community from Peshawar to Arcot is seething with passion upon this subject. Women inside the zenanas are weeping over it. Merchants who usually take no interest in public affairs are leaving their shops and counting-houses to organise remonstrances and petitions; even the mediaeval theologians of Deoband and the Nadwat ul Ulama, whose detachment from the modern world is proverbial, are coming from their cloisters to protest against the destruction of Islam. For Muhamadans this one preoccupation has swallowed up all others; they can think and talk of nothing else. A few days ago a Muhamadan told me that he had, as an Indian, been keenly interested in the Reform Scheme, but he could not think about the Reforms even on the day on which Mr. Montagu moved the second reading in the House of Commons; the fate of Islam engrossed all his thoughts.

Sir Theodore Morrison, as he himself says, has been in close touch with Moslems of India for close upon thirty years and he has thought it his duty "to warn the British public of the passionate resentment which Muhamadans feel at the proposed dismemberment of the Turkish Empire." As he says, the stay-at-home Englishman may well ask: "But what is all this pother about? . . . Why should Indian Muhmadans get so excited about the fate of a foreign power with which we were recently at war, with which we have not yet signed peace?" The question is natural and the answer to it is easy and simple. What happens to the Turkish Empire is a matter of the deepest concern to a Moslem, for no other reason but this that with the fate of that Empire is closely interwoven the question of the Khalifate and of the guardianship of the Holy Places of Islam. As Sir Theodore Morrison says, the sympathy of Indian Moslems for the Turks is founded, of course, primarily upon the common fellowship of Islam. This unity of sentiment is not patriotism in the ordinary sense of the word, for it is not associated with one particular race or country. It is not bigotry or religious fanaticism; for some of the most ardent defenders of Muhamadan interests are sceptic in matters of religion. And Sir Theodore Morrison speaks but the bare truth when he says: "A large proportion of the Young Moslems of India, Turkey and Egypt hold opinions which scandalise their orthodox brethren, but it is just these young men who are taking the lead in championing the cause of Islam." What is the secret of this appeal? Let Sir Theodore answer:

> The truth is that Islam is more than a creed, it is a complete social system, it is a civilisation with a philosophy, a culture, and an art of its own; in its long struggle against the rival civilisation of Christendom it has become an organic unit conscious of itself. To this civilisation the Muhamadans are very deeply attached. They are proud of its great past, they glory in its victories renowned both in peace and in war; they remember the Universities of Baghdad and Cordova at which Muhamadan scholars kept the torch of learning alight in the Dark Ages; they recall the bridges, canals, and public buildings, with which Muhamadan kingdoms were covered, the tombs, the Mosques, and palaces which ennobled Muhamadan cities. No Muhamaddn believes that this civilisation is dead or incapable of further development. They recognise that it has fallen on evil days; that it has suffered from an excessive veneration for the past, from prejudice and bigotry and a narrow scholasticism, not unlike that which obscured European thought in the Middle Ages; but they believe that Islam too is about to have its Renaissance, that it is receiving from Western learning a stimulus which will quicken it into fresh activity and that the evidences of this new life are everywhere manifest.

Thus the deep solicitude of Moslems for all Islamic kingdoms, for all States which aim at giving expression to their ideas is only natural and "the disappearance of any Moslem Power from the world is a loss to their cause." To quote another great authority, Prof. Edward Browne:—

> Islam has long ceased to be an aggressive power, and since the French took Tunis in 1881 and the English Egypt in 1882 it has had to witness with what philosophy it could the passing from it of one rich land after another where the vast majority of the inhabitants were Moslems and where there was no question of releasing a Christian population from Moslem rule. After each of these shocks, so long as they came at reasonable intervals, Islam rallied without any very general ferment, till in recent years the loss of Tripoli and Morrocco, combined with the threat to Persian independence, induced the general belief in the Moslem world that the aim of the European Powers was nothing less than the extinction of the temporal power of Islam.

In these circumstances it was inevitable as Sir Theodore says, that their (Moslems') hopes and affections should centre upon Turkey, the last great Power, left to Islam." Now, any territorial settlement of the Turkish Empire which impairs the sovereignty of the Sultan vitally affects the Khalifate with which is bound up the Guardianship of the Holy Places of Islam situated in that Empire. This does not mean that the subject nationalities of the Turkish Empire should not enjoy full autonomous powers or that the principle of self-determination should not be fairly and fully applied to them. All that is urged is that this great and necessary end can and should be attained by transforming the Turkish Empire into a federation of self-governing units owning allegiance to the Sultan, thereby securing his authority as Khalif of Moslems all the world over. What is the alternative? It is what Sir Theodre Morrison calls "Islam Irredento"—the creation of which, speaking as a plain Englishman and citizen of the British Empire, he says, "is the last thing we should desire".

> The result must be to make of the Near East a storm-centre more extensive and more dangerous to the world's peace than the Balkans have been in the last half century. Those who would parcel out among the Allies countries which are fundamentally Muhamadan are creating the very conditions which mean chronic unrest. It will be the tragic history of the Balkans repeated with a change of name. . . . It is the British Empire with its 80 million Muhamadan subjects which will be most troubled by the disturbances from this storm-centre. Every riot in a Syrian bazaar, every collision between the wild Kurds and a European police force will reverberate with sensational exaggerations through the East. Every untoward incident of European administration will be discussed in tribal *jirgahs* upon the Afghan frontier and form the theme of impassioned protests by every Anjuman Islamia in India.

That is not all. England has, through the mouth of her Premier, "pledged her word that Turkish sovereignty shall not be destroyed." Outlining the war-aims of the Allies, Mr. Lloyd George said on January 5, 1918:

> Nor are we fighting . . . to deprive Turkey of its capital or of the rich and renowned lands of Asia Minor and Thrace which are predominantly Turkish in race.

Later on, in the same speech, he confirmed the declaration thus:

> While we do not challenge the maintenance of the Turkish Empire in the homelands of the Turkish race, with its capital at Constantinople—the passage between the Mediterranean and the Black Sea being internationalised and neutralised—Arabia, Armenia, Mesopotamia, Syria, and Palestine are, in our judgment, entitled to a recognition of their separate national conditions.

That pledge was as clear as it was reassuring to Moslems all over the world. And now they hear with dismay of reported acquiescence of Britain to proposals for the impairment of Turkish sovereignty. Moslem British subjects in England have already given expression to this feeling in their memorial to the Prime Minister of England—a memorial which was endorsed by another from Moslems and non-Moslems in England. The Council of the All-India Moslem League has given expression to the alarm of the community at the reported approval of British Government to the internationalisation of Constantinople and the cession of Thrace to Greece. We have not the least doubt that the Government of India are in full sympathy with the sentiments of Indian Moslems and have placed the Moslem view of the solution of the Turkish problem, which we have indicated, to the attention of British Government. As Sir Theodore Morrison says, "soldiers and administrators who know the East are feeling grave anxiety at the way in which the legitimate interests of Islam have been handled in Paris, and the Secretary of State for India has made public the apprehensions with which the outlook fills him." But "it is time the British public realised the gravity of what is happening in the East." We have done our best to put forward the Moslem view of the question. It is, in fine, this that with the satisfactory solution of the questions of the Sultanate and the Khalifate—and the questions are intrinsically one—is bound up the whole future of Islamic civilisation. What makes or mars the one, must inevitably make or mar the other. We cannot put the case more strongly than by recalling an eloquent passage from Prof. Browne's recent letter to the London "Times," to which we have already referred. He said:

> Personally, I put the matter on a different plane, since I admire many features of Islamic civilisation, and should regard the disappearance of the temporal power of Islam, without which its civilisation cannot flourish, as a calamity which would leave the world poorer and more colourless.

We earnestly trust that loyalty to the ideals for which they waged the war as well as respect for the religious sentiments of their Moslem fellow-subjects, will prompt British statesmen to see that the future of Islam—and with it—the peace of the Empire and of the world is not endangered. We, for our part, have full confidence that British statesmen will do the right thing by Islam. But the attainment of a satisfactory solution is not helped by drawing a veil of mystery over the deliberations regarding the fate of Turkey. Government would be well-advised in making an early and reassuring statement calculated to soothe the agitated feelings of Moslems, and in taking the public into confidence.

Notes of the Day.

The League of Nations.

President Wilson, of whom we are glad to hear again, is having a conference with the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate. He admitted that he changed his draft of the League in accordance with the one issued by General Smuts. General Smuts deserves all the praise bestowed upon him by President Wilson. It would have been, however, better if President Wilson had followed General Smuts in other respects also in settling the terms of the Peace Treaty. General Smuts, we know, is profoundly dissatisfied with the treaty and on his departure from Europe he delivered a warning with reference to the principles ignored in the settlement. As for the League, President Wilson said there was no legal obligation on America to go to war if the League decided upon war against a recalcitrant member. There will be a 'compelling moral obligation' which not being physically enforceable cannot be thought necessarily compelling at all times. We thought that the provisions of a treaty were positively obligatory on all signatories. It remains to be seen, in actual practice, how the moral obligation will be interpreted. President Wilson said further that the League would prevent Japan from assuming complete sovereignty over Shantung. Technically Japan may not assume sovereignty, thus nominally justifying President Wilson; but what of the economic subordination of Shantung in spite of the disavowal of formal sovereignty? Dominant nations are not particular about sovereignty so long as they can economically be the masters of the situation. The Peace Conference should never have yielded to the claims of Japan in this respect. As for President Wilson's faith in Japan, we cannot value it overmuch and China is not likely to be satisfied. Japan probably knows how to apply the rule of peaceful penetration in her own interests as well. President Wilson forgets that there are also old entanglements which might prevent timely intervention at the time of need especially when the doctrine of moral obligations regarding signed treaties is stretched to justify any choice on the part of a nation.

For the Relief of the Press.

Elsewhere we publish a suggestive letter from a correspondent on the organisation of a press defence movement. The correspondent confines himself to a scheme for the financing of the movement and proposes that it should be put on a basis which will assure for it ceaseless and automatic support from the people. There is widespread sympathy in the country towards journals needlessly harassed by Executive action, the experience of the past few months confirming the belief that the press in India is in constant peril under repressive laws. There must be an organisation for the purpose of meeting sympathisers half-way and securing the support they are willing to give but which often fails for lack of an appealing agency. Our correspondent's project is, of course, on a voluntary basis of public help. The owners of journals should be approached to set apart one per cent. of their net income for the purpose, while the general public themselves should be requested to pay their mite along with their annual subscriptions to the paper they read. Readers develop a certain attachment to their favourite journals and we think that the fact may be advantageously utilised in the collection of small and voluntary donations. Thus a subscriber who could spend Rs. 5 annually for his paper could be expected not to grudge an extra anna for the help of the press and possibly for the relief at some time of the very journal he happens to appreciate. Mr. Maganlal has suggested that the idea should be worked by the Press Association of India.

The Age of Advertisement.

Specialists in the rapid cultivation of the mind are as abundant in Europe and America as fortune-tellers in this country. Advertisements promising to quadruple your income in three months have of late been creeping into India as well. One of the most furiously advertised short-cuts to greatness at present is the cultivation of Pelmanism. There is, of course, the usual list of great men who testify to miraculous experiences with the little grey books supplied by the Pelman Institute for a small consideration. The "Saturday Review" being sceptical of the stunt, made careful inquiries touching the Pelman cure for weak memories and the high-roads to greatness which opened after a three months' course by correspondence. There are two conclusions vouched for by the "Review" and uncontradicted by Pelman. The first is that the whole syllabus is a hoax; the second that the testimonials are partly a hoax and partly mercenary. There is the plain allegation that for red hot glowing tributes, money was received by some of the celebrities praising it. Thus the "Review" alleges that Lady St. Helier and Sir Edward Clarke are hundred-pounders, while the esteemed Mr. Justice Darling belongs to the forty-pound class. The "Review" has started a mock-heroic fraud of its own called "Melmanism"—the way to forgo,—and recommends it to all humbugs on the supposed testimonials of politicians anxious to forget their past! The "Review" is continuing the chase; Pelman is still advertising.

LEAGUE AND FOREIGN RELATIONS OF U. S.

PRESIDENT WILSON EXPLAINS.

CONFIDENCE IN JAPAN'S GOOD FAITH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 19.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

WASHINGTON.—President Wilson in opening the conference with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee said he rewrote his draft of the League of Nations in the light of the paper by General Smuts who "seemed to have done some very clear thinking particularly as regards what was to be done to the pieces of a dismembered Empire."

Replying to a number of questions President Wilson said that in the event of the League considering that application of force against some power was necessary the United States were not under any legal obligation to participate but were under a compelling moral obligation. The League would prevent Japan from assuming any complete sovereignty over Shantung. Asked whether he thought Japan could be depended upon to carry out the promise in good faith the President replied that he had every confidence that she would.

BOLSHEVIKS THROWN BACK

RUSSIAN SUCCESSES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 21.
Recd. 8 p.m., Aug. 22.

Authoritative information shows that the operations against the Bolsheviks are reaching an interesting stage. The Russian North-western Army and Esthonians have during the past week thrown back the Bolsheviks across the Laga river, while farther south serious fighting is going on northwest of Porkhov and south of Pskoff. In both these sectors, however, the Bolsheviks have been counter-attacking for a fortnight and have succeeded in pushing the opponents back twenty miles.

In the Pskoff area the Bolsheviks are within nine miles of the Pskoff-Riga railway, but certain weaknesses are observable among the Bolshevik troops here, one regiment having deserted complete with transport.

POLISH VICTORY.

The Polish operations have brought their left wing as far as the Lake region south of Minsk and south as far as Volhynia. The completeness of the Polish victory at Minsk is shown by the fact that the Bolsheviks have been driven back fifty miles on a front of hundred miles. The Poles also are attacking on a hundred and twenty miles front from the Pripet river to south of Ravno.

On the northern Polish front the Bolsheviks have been driven back behind the Goriz River. The Poles now hold the whole of the main trunk line from Vilna by Baranovitchi to Ostrog.

RISING IN UKRAINE.

Petliura's right wing is pushing towards Kieff from which he is ninety miles. Meanwhile a serious rising on a large scale has broken out west, south and south-east of Kieff, indeed; it appears that the whole of the interior of Ukraine is rising *en masse* to throw off the Bolshevik yoke.

The left wing of General Denikin's army is advancing with great rapidity and the Bolsheviks are now behind the Bug River, while farther north Elizavetgrad has been entered by General Denikin's armoured train. Heavy fighting is proceeding north of the Dnieper, particularly round Lubni, a hundred and ten miles southeast of Kieff. Farther north General Denikin is advancing towards Konotop on the main Kieff-Moscow line, while north of Kharkov he has commenced an offensive towards Kursk.

MAIN CENTRE OF INTEREST.

The main centre of interest is General Denikin's western front where his successes may shortly bring him in touch with the Allied troops on the left which will give the signal for the uprising of the whole Ukraine resulting in the driving back of the Bolsheviks into the unfruitful region of Central Russia. At present less than 150 miles separates the Anti-Bolshevik forces on the West Russian and South Russian fronts.

BOLSHEVIK FORCES.

The latest information shows that the Bolshevik Forces on these fronts consist of fifteen armies of which thirty-nine thousand men are on North Russian front, a hundred and sixty-seven thousand on the West Russian front, a hundred and forty-six thousand on the Eastern front. It is estimated that there are seven hundred and twenty-seven thousand additional troops in the interior.

SHAH OF PERSIA IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

TO INTERVIEW THE SULTAN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

PARIS.—A message from Constantinople dated August, 13th states that the Shah of Persia has arrived on board a British cruiser and that he will interview the Sultan to-morrow.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL MARCH.

RESPONSIBLE FOR ESTABLISHING RUSSIAN N.-W. GOVERNMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

Brigadier-General F. G. March of the Indian Army is stated to be responsible for the formation of the newly established Russian North-Western Government.

GRAVE SITUATION IN UPPER SILESIA.

STRIKERS IN ARMED INSURRECTION.

FRENCH TROOPS TO BE DESPATCHED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 11-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

PARIS.—The Supreme Council has received reports showing that the situation in Upper Silesia is very grave the miners in many parts being in a state of armed insurrection against the German authorities. The strikers have seized the towns of Kallowitz, Press and Jeslin.

The French military representative in Silesia suggests that troops under a French General should be despatched. The Polish Government concurs.

The latest news from Berlin claims that the situation is improving and that work is being partly resumed.

RUMANIAN OFFENSIVE BEYOND DNIESTER.

TO JOIN DENIKIEN'S LEFT WING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 11-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

PARIS.—Advices from Zurich state that the Rumanians are preparing an offensive beyond the Dniester with the object of joining up with General Deniken's left wing.

A BOLSHEVIK DEFEAT.

AN ADMISSION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 11-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

A Bolshevik wireless message says:—The enemy has occupied Kherson and Nikolaieff.

PROPOSED ECONOMIC ISOLATION OF RUSSIA.

SUPREME COUNCIL INVITES NEUTRALS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 11-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

PARIS.—The Supreme Council has decided to invite neutrals to supply information as to how they are able to co-operate towards the economic isolation of Russia and to summon Germany to accept the restrictions on German trade with Russia which the neutrals may be induced to impose themselves. The Council's power of action is limited because the United States does not recognise a state of war between the Entente and Russia and refuses to join the blockade or to render help against the Bolsheviks.

SEAPLANE FOR LONDON TO INDIA SERVICE.

ON WAY TO INDIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

SAINT RAPHAEL (Var).—Three large British seaplanes which will carry on the London to India service arrived here on August 18th and afterwards left for Egypt whence they will continue their flight to India.

SETTLEMENT OF RAILWAYMEN'S STRIKE.

MAXIMUM WAGES OFFERED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

A settlement has been reached in regard to the Railwaymen's demands. The Government has made an amended offer giving a maximum wage of fifteen shillings daily to drivers and eleven shillings to firemen including war bonuses. The railwaymen's Executive will recommend acceptance.

RANGOON DEVELOPMENT TRUST BILL.

REFERRED TO SELECT COMMITTEE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
RANGOON, Aug. 21.

The Burma Legislative Council to-day referred the Rangoon Development Trust Bill to a Select Committee. Mr. Morgan Webb, Chief Secretary, who introduced the Bill dealt with various criticisms on its provisions and promised consideration by the Committee of the claim that the estate should revert to the municipality eventually. Other criticisms were the absence of appeal to the law court from the tribunal and the prospect of interference with the old agreements relating to property.

THE EXCHANGE SITUATION.

FALL IN VALUE OF SOVEREIGN.

NECESSITY FOR ECONOMY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 21.
Recd. 8 p.m., Aug. 22.

The decline in sterling, especially in the American exchange, is a feature in the papers. The sovereign yesterday was the lowest on record, 410 cents, thus one pound is worth seventeen shilling in America. Experts exhort the public to study the foreign exchanges in order to appreciate the necessity for economy and increased production of exports pointing out that money is now so plentiful that the value is largely fictitious owing to inflated paper currency.

Similar concern is expressed in Paris. The "Temps" compares France's position unfavourably with Great Britain's pointing out that a pound sterling is worth thirty-four francs and urges increased cheaper production as the only remedy and to sell goods abroad. The paper concludes that it is unlikely that the Allies will resume the system of artificial stabilisation of the exchange.

A telegram from Berlin says the food department owing to the decreasing value of the mark, which is worth two-pence half-penny has prohibited the buying of certain goods abroad, for instance, food from Denmark and Holland.

NEW PREFERENCE RATES.

EXPLANATION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 21.
Recd. 8 p.m., Aug. 22.

Commissioners of Customs issue an explanation of the new Empire preference rates which come into operation on 1st September. In the case of manufactured goods preference can only be claimed if 25 per cent. of the factory or works cost of each finished article is due to labour within the Empire. Exceptions to this are manufactured obacco refined sugar, syrup and molasses. The onus of proof rests with the importer.

VADOD WIRE-CUTTING CASE.

A PAGI'S EVIDENCE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS SPECIAL SERVICE).
AHMEDABAD, Aug. 21.

The Second Special Tribunal before taking up the Vadod wire cutting case gave sanction for the prosecution of six witnesses in the Nadiad Derailment case viz. Narotam Khemchand, Chanda Daji, Shanker Chunilal, Shanker Bhula, Lallu Fula, Purshottam Amin, for giivng false evidence either in this court or before the district magistrate under sections 193 or 181 I. P. Code and sent them to First Class City Magistrate, Ahmedabad under section 476 Criminal Procedure Code.

The court then took up for hearing the cross-examination of Dhula Nana by the defence counsel Mr. V. J. Patel. Witness further deposed that he did not cultivate fields belonging to some of the accused but his father did. He did not attend the Paravadi meeting as he did not like his Naka remaining unguarded. Accused No. 6 had filed a suit against him for a field called Vairagivala. He deposed that there was no leader among Dharalas but the order prohibiting all Dharalas from the habit of liquor-drink was issued under four signatures viz., Bhaiji Bavaji, Moti Bhaiji, Jeena Kala, and Dula Nana.

Shanker Raiji Pagi was the next witness cited by the prosecution who deposed that on the evening of the incident while he was returning home, stopped at Dhula's Naka for a smoke where accused Nos. 11, 7, 14 and Babar Amtha had come to call them. He could not say why they were wanted by accused No. 1 nor did he ask them as to why they were wanted. Accused Nos. 1, 6 and 3 along with witness and his associates went to Gora Talavdi where he saw from a distance that Babar Luhar was cutting wires along with Aju Tulsi. Witness admitted that he was twice sentenced for thefts. He denied all knowledge of enmity between Patidars and Dharalas and said he did not know of the existence of any parties.

Then one Soma Himat a Hindu Girasia was taken up for examination on behalf of the prosecution. After repeating the story on the main points, he said he was asked not to disclose the fact of wire-cutting to anybody or else he would be burnt alive. These threats were given to him by accused Nos. 2, 5 and 18.

Evidence of the last witness was not over when the court rose for the day.

WITHDRAWAL OF AFGHAN TROOPS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SIMLA, August 21.

A press communique states:—

The Afghan troops commenced to withdraw from the Dakka front to Jalalabad and all the enemy Lashkars in Khost have dispersed. Some inter-tribal fighting has occurred in Bajaur, otherwise all is quiet north of Kurram. A small force from Miranshah carried out further punitive measures against the villages south-east of Miranshah on the 17th and a column from Idak also punished the Wazir villages in the neighbourhood of Baro Khel. The latter column met with a slight opposition, but suffered no casualties. The Hinglum post on the border, north-west of Dera Ghazi Khan, is reported to have been looted by a large gang of raiders. Our Zhob column reached Fort Sandeman on the 19th.

SIR H. STEPHEN'S EVIDENCE.

URGES INDIANISATION OF SERVICES.

"WOULD MAKE AN INDIAN SECRETARY-OF-STATE."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

A former Calcutta Judge Sir Henry Stephen giving evidence at to-day's sitting of the Joint Committee said he was of the opinion that when the Indian community as a whole was organised politically it would be on the caste lines. He did not think that the Indians would get caste from their minds. He strongly advocated development of India's Government on Indian lines. It would be an irreparable mistake to adopt the idea in connection with the present bill that what suited England would suit India.

Replying to Lord Sinha, Sir Henry Stephen said he did not think that the scheme in the bill would work as it was expected to. Continuing Sir Henry Stephen dwelt on the strong Indian disposition to copy instead of originate anything. There was an overwhelming amount of political talk in India but not very much political thought. He said he would like to see the Indians produce a scheme for the Government of India which would be distinctively Indian. He would try Indians in every position possible even, if they were unfitted with the object of testing their capacity. He would make an Indian Secretary of State. He anticipated unsatisfactory effects if the present bill were adopted. The afternoon proceedings being terminated the Committee adjourned.

VISCOUNT GREY'S DEPARTURE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 11-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

Viscount Grey sails for America about September 10th.

BRITISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES REMAINS IN MEXICO CITY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 20.
Recd. 11-30 a.m., Aug. 22.

Mr. Cummins, the British *charge d'affaires* in Mexico City still remains there. Apparently General Carranza does not intend to enforce the order that Mr. Cummins should leave.

TRADE RETURNS FOR JULY.

INCREASE OF EXPORTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
CALCUTTA, Aug. 21.

In the trade returns for July, 1919, published by the Department of Statistics, India, the imports amounted to £99,59,000, a decrease of £17,32,000 and exports (including re-exports) to £1,85,92,000, an increase of £60,27,000 as compared with the corresponding month of 1918. There was a large decrease in exports of food, drink, and tobacco, (mainly foodgrains and tea) amounting to £23,47,000 but raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured increased by £57,78,000 owing to larger exports of raw hides and skins, seeds, and cotton. Raw articles wholly or mainly manufactured rose by £6,54,000 mainly on account of larger exports of tanned hides and skins and cotton manufactures, including twist and yarn. Notwithstanding smaller shipments of jute goods during July of the pre-war year 1914, imports amounted £93,35,000 and exports (including re-exports) to £1,30,45,000.

MR. SHAFI MADE PERMANENT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SIMLA, Aug. 22.

The "Gazette of India" notifies that the Hon. Mian Muhammad Shafi is permanently appointed to the office of ordinary Member of the Council, vice Sir Sankaran Nair resigned.

INDIAN NEWS IN BRIEF

It is understood that Sir Claude Hill, Revenue Member of the Council, on return from leave will resume charge of his office in the first week of September.

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Mr. E. A. H. Blunt, C.B.E., Revenue Secretary to the Government, will take up the post of Director of Industries, United Provinces, in October next.

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The Burma Government is taking steps to pass an emergency legislation on the lines of the Bombay Rent Act to deal with the high rents in Rangoon. A Controller of Rents will be appointed.

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Mr. S. R. Das, Bar.-at-Law, Standing Counsel, officiates as Advocate-General, Bengal, during the absence on leave of the Hon. Mr. T. C. P. Gibbons.

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It is understood that owing to exchange difficulties there will be no tea sale next Tuesday in Calcutta. It is also stated that auction sales of tea would soon cease unless some arrangement is arrived at to counteract the present conditions.

MADRAS PROVINCIAL CONFERENCE.

MARTIAL LAW IN PUNJAB.

CONDEMNED BY RAJAH OF RAMNAD.

TRICHINOPOLY, Aug. 22.

The twenty-fifth Madras Provincial Conference commenced its sitting at 2 p.m. to-day, the Hon. the Rajah of Ramnad presiding. The Hon. Mr. K. V. Rangaswami Iyengar, Chairman of the Reception Committee, in welcoming the delegates referred to the constitutional reforms and said that there was no question that the principles embodied in the Bill before Parliament fell very short of their expectations and requirements and that no provision in the Bill contemplated the granting of fiscal autonomy, the most important and just demand of the Indian nation.

The President in a lengthy address strongly criticised the administration of Martial Law in the Punjab and insisted on an impartial enquiry being made into the Punjab incidents and condemned the Rowlatt Act and the application of the Press Act. As regards the reforms he said, that nothing less than provincial autonomy and some element of responsibility in the Government of India would satisfy them. He further added that the people asked for a declaration of rights, for a large share of responsibility in Provincial Governments and some share in the Central Government and that they wanted that the rule-making power under the Act should be definitely settled with the concurrence of Parliament and alterable only by the Indian Legislative Assemblies.

SWAMINARAYAN TEMPLE CASE.

JUDGMENT RESERVED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
AHMEDABAD, Aug. 22.

The Swaminarayan Temple looting case, which commenced on the 16th instant, closed to-day. 38 witnesses on behalf of the prosecution and ten witnesses on behalf of the defence were examined, while one witness was called by the Court.

Mr. Kalidas Javeri, pleader for the accused Noorbhoy and Imamkhan, argued that the evidence against the accused Noorbhoy was only that of a gharrywalla of Sheth Lalbhoy Dalpatbhoy and that it was not reliable. He further said that Magistrate Chaganlal ought to have followed the High Court circular on the subject and inquired into the reality or otherwise of the complaint and that the Magistrate ought not to have cross-examined the accused.

Regarding the other accused Imamkhan, Mr. Javeri argued that witness Kaikhusroo bore enmity against the accused and that the evidence against accused was tainted and unsatisfactory.

Then Mr. Harilal Parakh, on behalf of the accused Bhogilal, addressed the Tribunal for two hours. In the course of his address, he laid great stress on the concocted nature of the evidence of the prosecution witnesses and urged that it was incredible and untrue. Mr. Parakh criticised the evidence of the prosecution witnesses and submitted that the long interval between the date of offence and the earliest date when witnesses for the prosecution appeared was a strong indication of the concocted character of the prosecution evidence. He appealed to the Court not to entertain any prejudice against his client Bhogilal because he was described as a gambler and *budmash* by some of the prosecution witnesses and also urged the Court to view the incident of murder, arson, etc., which were unfortunately committed on the day of riots, as unconnected with his client. He quoted the case of Barindra Kumar Ghose, reported in 37, Calcutta, and submitted that his client could not be held guilty of offence under Section 121. Then he discussed the other charges, and submitted that they were not made out.

After Mr. Parakh's elaborate address Mr. Kemp, in replying to the defence arguments, referred to the points on which the confessions of Nos. 1 and 3 were found fault with and submitted that they were not sufficient to throw suspicion upon their veracity or voluntary character.

Mr. Kemp then discussed the case against each of the accused and submitted that the prosecution had made out a case and that the defence had failed to rebut it.

After this the next case of looting Rao Bahadur Balakhidas' house was taken up. There are eleven accused in that case, three being undefended. Rao Bahadur Balakhidas, in Mr. Kemp's examination, narrated the history of the riots, how he and his wife escaped, and how his house was looted. He said that he had suffered a loss of Rs. 40,000.

Judgment in the Swaminarayan Temple case will be delivered on Tuesday, the 26th instant.

Official and Personal.

His Excellency Sir George Lloyd presided at Mr. Devadhar's lecture at Sir Cowasji Jehangir's Public Hall, on Friday afternoon.

Her Excellency Lady Lloyd attended a Committee Meeting of the Women's Branch on Friday afternoon.

Their Excellencies Sir George and Lady Lloyd attended the Wilson College Social Union Concert on Friday evening.

MUSINGS OF THE WEEK.

(BY A RECLUSE.)

The Orientalists, who will shortly assemble in Congress at Poona, have shaken hands with the modern politicians. It was at one time the fashion to hold that the East was the home of absolutism, the West of liberty and democracy. Sanskritists and archaeologists have alike modified that judgment, and now-a-days books and scores of essays are written to prove that democratic institutions have flourished in India from the earliest times. A South Indian archaeologist created a mild sensation some years ago by his discovery that voting by ballot in village councils was a well understood procedure under the Cholas. Democracy is not necessarily a later development than autocracy, nor need it be preceded by education. It is found to-day among the hill tribes of Eastern Bengal, who elect their Chief.

Tippu Sultan.

History at one time taught that Tippu Sultan was a bigot and he had forcibly converted thousands of war prisoners from Malabar and Coorg. The Hindus themselves were not willing to admit it, for coupled with that report was the allegation that they had received many of these converts back into their community. Anyhow archaeologists have found that the Tiger of Mysore had a different side to his character. It was reported a couple of years ago that among the records of the Sringeri monastry—the most renowned seat of Shankaracharyas—was a cordial letter addressed by Tippu to the abbot requesting the latter to pray for his welfare. In his latest report, the able and learned archaeologist of the State calls attention to the preservation in a temple at Nanjangud of a jewelled silver cup, which, according to the inscription thereon, had been presented to the shrine by Tippu.

From the same report, it appears that Tippu's successor, Krishna Raja, appointed, or perhaps recognised, a State Kazi, under whom were Division Kazis, who superintended the Taluka Kazis, to whom the village Kazis were responsible. The State Kazi was bound to look after the education of the Musalman boys and girls, to submit an annual census report of his community, and pay to Government the fines which he had the power to impose in certain cases. The Taluka Kazi was bound to supply the Amildar with periodical returns showing the professions followed by the Musalmans in his jurisdiction; he was to report to the Amildar any quarrels or riots among them which he could not himself suppress, and the presence of thieves, murderers and other undesirable characters in the villages. The enemies of the Company were also to be watched this at any rate must have been a new duty cast on the Kazis.

Vernaculars.

Sir Michael Sadler is of opinion that the vernaculars of India, of which he knows little, must be "scientifically" studied. How are they studied now? In some universities they are not studied at all. The utility of a science is seen in its application to the arts. In India there is just now a vast field for the inventor of new words. The Bengali and the Punjabi, the Mahratta and the Madrasi, may all draw upon Sanskrit. Nevertheless the coins of one province are not recognised in another. Indeed one writer is not bound to accept the tender of another in the same province. No one is interested in putting an end to this anarchy, nor has any one the authority to do it. Hence the jargon of the newspapers which drives the Pandit and the purist mad. Sir Michael gave his evidence before a Committee which has to consider the future administration of the Government's educational functions. Will any European have the courage to tackle the problem of the vernaculars?

Internments and their Effects.

On the outbreak of the war enemy subjects were everywhere interned. Prisoners of several nationalities were brought together in the camp at Berlin and one of them expatiates in an English magazine on the political and social effects of such internments. Most of the prisoners had been engaged in business before, and had not paid serious attention to politics. Their internment turned their thoughts into new channels—the foundations on which political power rests, the present organisation of society, its effects on the welfare of various classes and the reforms which are feasible and necessary to place things on a different footing. The general trend of their thoughts is believed to have been in the direction of radical changes. The exchange of views between members of different nationalities would appear to have made their sympathies more cosmopolitan. The effect of their separation from women is said to have been to make the men more effeminate!

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In India we have had internments of a different sort and due to a different cause. The suspects were not thrown together, and brooding in isolation is said to have resulted in some cases in practical insanity. Effeminacy is not likely to be the effect of internment in India where the society of women, except one's nearest relatives, is denied to men. Nevertheless one may enquire why interned persons should not be allowed to console themselves with the company of their dearest relatives if arrangements can be made for their living together. The effect may be to mitigate rancour and on the whole beneficial from the standpoint of the State. Where hundreds are interned, this may be impossible. It is hoped that these internments will not last long. Yet if the experience of other countries shows that this way of safeguarding peace results in a greater danger than before, the whole question merits re-examination.

Police and Criminals.

It is understood that the police have little faith in the reformatory effects of punishment and they keep a special watch on discharged prisoners. The people at large do not know much of the recent theories concerning the treatment of even juve-

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MESSAGE OF WESTERN CO-OPERATION.

"SERVE THE POOR OF HUMANITY."

MR. DEVDHAR'S LECTURE.

Under the auspices of the Bombay Central Co-operative Institute, Mr. G. K. Devdhar delivered a lecture on the "Message of Western Co-operation", at the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Public Hall, on Friday evening, Sir George Lloyd presiding.

MR. G. K. DEVDHAR.

Mr. G. K. Devdhar said:—At the outset, kindly permit me to thank my friends, the Hon. Mr. Lalubhai Samaldas, Mr. Ewbank and other moving spirits of the Bombay Central Co-operative Institute, for asking me to inaugurate this first series of public lectures to preach the gospel of co-operation which is a man-making principle.

I have undertaken to deliver five lectures in this series, which will deal with various forms of co-operation in Western countries and their methods of propaganda. In today's lecture I am trying to make a broad survey of what one sees and observes in some of them. Though I passed through Italy and France I had not much time to make inquiries about co-operative development there, because the time was not suitable. But during my sojourn in England, Scotland, Ireland and Denmark I got ample facilities to make myself familiar with the leading features in the movement and draw comparisons therefrom. I shall briefly dwell on some of the very broad features of this great and powerful organization hinting at its difficulties and successes and what I particularly propose to do is to emphasise the need for adopting in India some of the new features in a manner suited to the requirements of our country; and lastly, I want to show how the West unfolds to us the manifold benefits accruing from the movement and tells us to profit by the experiences gathered by the people of those countries; and now that India has acquired a valuable experience during the last fifteen years from the application of co-operative principles to agricultural life in the solitary direction of credit to some extent, it is high time now that she should adopt other useful lessons to enable poor people to reap very great profit by applying the same principles to other important phases of agricultural life and to the general life of small traders and poor wage-earners and the struggling middle class in solving some of their urgent problems. This in brief is the message which the West has to give us and to show to the world how the little seed of co-operation has sprung forth into a mighty movement; and while, trying to effect the economic betterment of the poor labouring class population who materially contribute to the production of wealth of a country and who from no small part of the community, has raised their social and educational status and endeavoured to make them capable to lead the life of constructive socialism "disciplined democracy."

Origin of the movement

Here the first thing that strikes the observer is (1) the origin of the movement, and the history of its struggle, defeats and ultimate successes. Secondly, (2) the manifold functions, which co-operative movement is now made to fulfil in its mission of serving the poorer section of humanity by its varied activities which principally aim at (a) business or trade for economic betterment, (b) social advancement, (c) educational improvement, (d) and larger outlook on civic life and (e) securing a large number of other small benefits to those who are served by the movement. (3) Another feature that strikes an observer here is a comparatively very small number of institutions dealing in credit—it seems that they have made war upon the demon of debt and driven it—and a proportionately large number of institutions or stores dealing in cash. Moreover, (4) the stream of co-operative effort in the West is seen to run into channels quite different from those in which it runs in India to-day.

Proceeding, he said:—From the small beginning at Rochdale made by the Pioneers, the co-operative movement in the United Kingdom has developed into such colossal proportions that its growth is described as Titanic. At the end of 1917, though the number of co-operative societies of all descriptions not including those that deal with agriculture was very small, i.e., 1,478, still their membership numbered 3,833,376, or approached roughly 4 millions and they claimed a total capital of £70,000,000 or roughly over one hundred crores of rupees; their turnover amounted to £225,000,000 or over three hundred crores of rupees in that year; and their net profit reached £18,000,000 or over two and a half crores of rupees. The army of employees in these co-operative concerns mustered over 102,000 and the collective wages and salaries Bill exceeded £21,000,000 or nearly two crores of rupees. Now is the "era of super-organization" and the co-operative wholesale society (C. W. S.), which commenced its operation in 1864 has become the symbol and the leading land-mark of co-operation in the United Kingdom and throughout the whole world. The figures relating to Ireland though some of which are included in the above, deserve a special and separate enumeration. The total number of societies in 1917 stood at 947; their total membership was 113,640 and the total turnover amounted to £7½ millions, the average turnover per member being £66 showing the increase of £9 in one year. The Danish progress of co-operation is more striking than the Irish, though both these countries are primarily agricultural; there has been a steady growth in all directions. The dairies, beacon factories, creameries, and the egg collecting societies, horse-breading societies number about 1,600, all affiliated to a wholesale with a total membership of a quarter of a million (245,000) in a population of three millions. The total sales of the wholesale amounted to 4½ millions sterling. The annual sales of societies that supply milk, butter, cream, eggs, bacon and other meat exceed annually several millions sterling. In Russia at the outbreak of the war there were 35,000 co-operative societies and at the present moment there were 54,000. The Siberian growth has been very phenomenal. The educational activities in this branch seem to be very striking. The movement in Germany has been largely agricultural there being 29,082 co-operative organizations for the improvement of agriculture with a membership of 2,800,000, whereas the distributive co-operative societies numbered 1,079 with a membership of 2,052,139. Thus in Germany there were over 30,000 co-operative concerns distributive and agricultural with a total membership of nearly 5 million.

As compared with this growth, the progress in India during the last fifteen years is not quite negligible. There are 26,400 societies to-day, with the total membership of 10½ lakhs and the amount of working capital stands at 14½ crores of rupees. In these three respects it is a matter of congratulation that our presidency of Bombay stands ahead of the other two major presidencies of Madras and Bengal in proportion of population.

Great Need in India.

Continuing, Mr. Devadhar said:—If co-operation could achieve wonderful results in several fields of human activities in the West it is needless to say that there is great need in India to-day for the wide-spread of this movement with its budding industrialism, high-soaring nationalism, and enchanting democracy. India wants better production, increased provision of food-stuffs, and more equitable and cheap supply of necessaries of life, as has been observed durihg these recent days of control. There is, besides, the crying need for better housing, better sanitation, etc. We, co-operators, believe that these new problems will to a large extnt be helped by the application of co-operative principles. Besides Indian agriculture needs development and improvement on a large scale and Ireland and Denmark, comparatively very poor countries, have shown how co-operation could assist this industry and bring it in line with the modern conditions. In the plans of reconstruction which India will have to take up soon the co-operative movement will play a large part and it is our duty to-day to prepare the ground for these large developments by the spread of primary education coupled with rudiments of scientific and agricultural knowledge and particularly by initiating the people in the principles of co-operation.

How is the result to be achieved? So far in India it must be recognised frankly that a great deal of work of initiation, administration and education in this co-operative field has been attempted by Government. The intelligent public have not yet taken a proportionately large part and so long as they will fight shy of this movement, the character of the movement will not be largely popular. In the West, the movement has been entirely popular because the people felt the great need for it and engineered it and raised it to its present pitch. As hinted already the attitude of Government has not been particularly helpful and the trading and the capitalist classes have been positively unfriendly. In spite of these difficulties the movement has progressed so much that co-operators in the West dream of a co-operative commonwealth of nations so as to ensure greater peace in the world. But we in India stand in a very favourable position with regard to both Government and the capitalist classes, who are taking a large share in its present development.

In the West, most successful and well organized methods of propaganda have been employed to popularize the movement. Moreover, systematic efforts are made in most of these Western countries where co-operation has very well prospered to enlist the sympathies of *women* and to interest them in its spread.

Penny Bank.

Similarly, the *children* and *students* are kept interested in the movement by instituting *Penny Banks* for them. The parents give their children pennies and the children are taught the lessons of co-operation by asking them to invest them in their banks.

Hitherto politics and religious differences were rightly kept out of the movement. But now in the matter of politic English co-operators have begun to feel the need for sending their own representatives to Parliament to safeguard the interests of the movement and to advocate its cause. Though in India its origin is different, and there need be no conflict of interests, a time might come when the movement may have to seek representation in the legislature of the country.

In Western countries like England where Governments were not keen about co-operation there was need for starting for effective work a large number of voluntary or popular organizations to do the spade-work, to organize co-operative societies to lay down lines of work and its politics, to supervise the activities of the movement, and to control, guide and co-ordinate them so as to avoid over-lapping or waste of energy and money. There is on the continent of Europe a strong co-operative press, a great effort is made to train people in co-operative principles and methods by means of classes and institutions. We started in Bombay five years ago a class to train secretaries and its work has gone on well. Several countries send men to England and Denmark to learn co-operative principles and to imbibe the spirit of the movement, and to draw inspiration and instruction from it. I have heard of the parties of Americans, Australians, Canadians, French and Russians coming to England and Ireland and visiting Denmark in order to make a detailed study of their methods of co-operative work, and to make a long stay. If Indian co-operation in the near future is to develop on Western lines, I am of opinion, that Indian Government and the leaders of public opinion should also organize similar parties or commissions of well-equipped agriculturists to pay visits to England, and other countries like Ireland Denmark, where they can acquire a new faith and a new creed. I had had opportunities of discussing the scheme with very responsible people in England and they have approved of it immensely and I would, therefore, urge upon my friends in Bombay and the Bombay Government to take a lead in this matter and show the way to the rest of India. Let the Government and the people from a joint committee to examine this scheme.

Side by side with the growing industrialism of the country, agriculture will have to be pushed on sound lines and a growing contact will have to be established between rural co-operators and the urban co-operators to understand the needs of one another. But our landlords and the capitalist classes will have to take a leading part in pushing on co-operation because it is bound to profit them and their country.

A great factor in nation building.

Co-operation has come to be recognized now in countries where it has prospered sufficiently as a great factor of nation-building. Mr. George Russell, one of the guiding spirits of Irish co-operation, who impressed me as being a very practical seer, always lays great stress in his books on this aspect of co-operation and in his recent publication called "A Nation in Being", he has built his argument with regard to Ireland on the strength of co-operative experiences of that small country without the valuable help of which, Russell thinks that the condition of the people would have been mere deplorable and they would have been totally unfit to bear the burdens of Self-Government or Home Rule.

It is no longer necessary now to plead for the need for the extension of this and the formation of an organization to carry out this plan. Fortunately such a need was felt a couple of years ago and the result is that the Bombay Central Co-operative Institute came to be started as a non-official centre of co-operative work for Western India. Now that there is the organization ready, and it has got a definite name, let Bombay city find for its activities a magnificent Home like Holy-Oake House of Manchester or the Plunkett House of Dublin, a gift of the friends and admirers of Sir Horace Plunkett. This will meet a long-felt want and it will be the centre of a truly democratic activity reaching the masses right into the villages and aiding them in the solution of the problems of their life. It needs funds, and for Bombay it must not be very difficult to create a fine house for Co-operative Central Institute. Moreover, a large number of voluntary workers or volunteers will have to come forth and I feel that with the establishment of this House in Bombay. We may then find a Sir Horace attaching more importance to constructive work and keeping himself free from party squabbles or politics, we may then get a George Russell to inspire the movement, and an Anderson to regulate and guide its details.

Co-operation-a notable task.

Let me lastly appeal to my patriotic countrymen and countrywomen to recognize the practical, economical and social value of co-operation as it is seen in the West. We are now living in a democratic age in which the destinies of the rich and the poor, high and low, educated and uneducated, are bound up together and closely welded. For common good all have to be brought to a higher level and that task can best be achieved by adopting method of co-operative education as one of the efficient means. Democracy needs the art of self-government and self-government is one of the attributes of co-operation. That is why many thoughtful people value co-operation as a great disciplinary and educational force whose value lies in training people in civic duties. The creed of co-operative wants its votaries for this emancipation. It is a work of resurrection also. It is a notable task, and like all noble undertaking it pleases those that serve and those that are served.

SIR GEORGE LLOYD.

Sir George Lloyd in the course of his speech said:—

It has been said:—"Co-operation knows no frontiers" and I hope that Mr. Devdhar's example will be followed and that other co-operators will be encouraged to travel and to gain from practical experience the valuable lessons to be learnt from the successes and failures of co-operative institutions in Europe.

"Up till the present time co-operation in India has been almost entirely organised for the purpose of supplying credit to agricultural communities. This is perfectly natural and it must at once be recognised that this is and always will be the most important side of co-operation in India. It seems that although we have as yet only touched a fraction of the population the general lines upon which development has to proceed have been firmly laid down and that we can safely leave the future expansion of co-operative credit to the experience and initiative gained by the large number of societies and people who are now thoroughly conversant with the doctrines of co-operative credit.

"There is, however, at the present time a growing and wide-spread demand for the establishment of societies connected with production and distribution. The shortage and high price of supplies during the war and the famine, the difficulties arising from deficient transport and the profiteering that has unfortunately been practised throughout the Presidency during the last few years have awakened the public to the urgent need of co-operative stores and supply unions.

There is, it appears, a very real demand in many districts for the establishment of stores of this kind; but there have so far been no experiments of this kind made and it is necessary to provide some organisation to advise budding societies as to the trend of prices and put them into touch with reliable wholesale firms and help them in tackling the railway authorities and giving them expert advice of all kinds. The functions of the new Assistant Registrar would be to control, except to a very slight extent, but to give expert help and advice. He would be closely in touch with the Committee of the Central Co-operative Institute which consists of businessmen. Government are fully aware of the essential difference between societies of this nature and credit societies and of the fact that, while a considerable amount of Government assistance and control is necessary for the former, it is essential to the success of the latter that they should be as free as possible from the restrictions and delays which are the inevitable accompaniment of Government supervision."

CENTRAL STORES.

"These Supply Unions will entirely depend for their success on the establishment of central wholesale distribution stores and it is essential that these stores should be run on a business footing by businessmen and I look to you, gentlemen of Bombay, therefore who have established so wide a reputation for generosity and courage is starting new ventures, to come forward and place this movement on a firm and established basis by supplying the funds and the brains necessary to the establishment of this central store. Co-operative societies in this Presidency owe a deep debt of gratitude to Sir Vithaldas Thackersey who, with the help of the Hon. Mr. Lallubhai Samaldas and others, inaugurated the Bombay Central Bank the success achieved by the Bank which has proved the very mainspring of the movement will, I hope, encourage you to establish a similar central institution for the support and encouragement of the new societies, There are, as any one who has listened to Mr. Devdhar's lecture to-night will have realised, endless possibilities in ths successful development of such a movement as I have described. In the Punjab considerable progress has already been made and I hear that societies started there have proved most successful. I do not wish the Bombay Presidency to be behind in anything and least of all in a matter which demands business acument and a spirit of co-operation and I am sure you will make this new movement a great success."

His Excellency congratulated the Secretary on the progress the institute had made and said:—"But already, gentlemen, there is felt, a need for expansion and consequently for more money. More money is needed to organise training classes for secretaries, to give grants-in-aid to conferences, to engage better quarters for the reading room and co-operative library, to engage a permanent librarian and to pay for the initial loss on vernacular journals which are so essential a medium for the propaganda of the society, and I would therefore appeal to all who are interested in the future of co-operation to subscribe very liberally to this institute which has already given full evidence of its great value."

His Excellency then paid a tribute to Mr. Ewbank.

LECTURER THANKED.

The Hon. Mr. Lallubhai Samaldas thanked the lecturer for the valuable lecture he had given them. With regard to Mr. Devadhar's suggestion about sending co-operators to Europe to study the systems there he said his Excellency had already approved of that suggestion and the question now was whether they should them themselves or in co-operation with Government. He was not asking so much for funds as for the good offices of the Government, and he was sure they could approach the Government, when they had a full scheme prepared, for their assistance. The speaker then gave an account of the objects of the Central Co-operative Institute.

Mr. R. B. Ewbank, seconding, said the lecturer was his fellow-worker for the last eight years and they could not find a more zealous, more enthusiastic and more willing man than Mr. Devadhar.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman was proposed by Sir Fazulbhoy Currimbhoy and seconded by Mr. Sane.

SUPPLEMENTARY AMRITSAR CASE.

BRIJ GOPINATH TRANSPORTED FOR LIFE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Aug. 22.

Judgments were delivered to-day in the supplementary Amritsar case and the Kundian riots case. In the Amritsar case, Brij Gopinath was sentenced to transportation for life with forfeiture of property and Durgadas Atas to three years' rigorous imprisonment.

In the Kundian case, Viswa Mitradas was sentenced to one year's rigorous impcisonment, Kishan Chand to nine months' Govind Lal, Karim Baksh, Shivram Das to six months each and Muhammed Ali to three months. Two accused were acquitted.

MUSINGS OF THE WEEK.

(Continued from page 11.)

nile offenders. Some time ago I heard an interesting conversation between two passengers at the Matunga Road railway station. Pointing to the high-walled enclosure hard by, one asked the other whose palace it might be. "It is a School for Thieves" was the reply. "Ah, I see" remarked the newly enlightened individual, slowly and reflectively nodding his head several times: "We hear of frequent thefts and robberies in Mahim, Bandra, Santa Cruz and other places. I thought they were due to high prices and the difficulties of earning an honest livelihood. But I see the Government is regularly training thieves and that accounts for it!" If history repeats itself in the case of nations, such repetition may well be expected in the conduct of individuals—that appears to be the police theory. Do we not see a persistence of ideas in administrative history? Lord Morley's time a prisoner in Bengal was under sentence of death. He appealed to the Local Government in vain, and then to the Government of India, from whom a reply was expected in a certain time. The reply did not arrive and the sentence was carried out. When the papers were opened at Simla, the delay was discovered—perhaps the officers concerned were on tour. A telegram despatched to Calcutta elicited the reply that the man had been hanged. Nevertheless the papers were carefully examined, but such was the bad luck of the petitioner that no grounds for interference were seen. If Mr. Montagu had to interfere on behalf of the Punjal prisoners, he could not have forgotten Lord Morley's remarks on the Bengal incident.

War Rewards.

The Government is in a joyous mood. Not only have prisoners been released, but petitions for rewards are favourably considered. Who has not been serviceable during the war? Soldiers and doctors have risked their lives. The police have maintained internal order and civilians have worked hard to obtain recruits for the army and in various other ways. Formerly *jahgirs* were granted to the families of distinguished public servants. We think of individuals and departments. It is perhaps economically undesirable to tie up property in families. Small sums count for nothing in the eyes of a great Government. If additions are made to the larger salaries of the higher officers, they make an impression in high circles. But where does the money come from? The war has compelled the Government to borrow at a much higher rate of interest than before. The promises made after the war add to the permanent burden If money is wanted for education, special taxes will be needed.

WANTED A PRESS DEFENCE FUND.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—May I beg of you to consider the following suggestion for the raising of funds for the defence of the Press and give it publicity in your widely read paper, with your independent comments thereon, if the same meet with your approval?

I hope you are well aware of the custom of certain trades here to set apart a certain percentage of their income for earmarked purposes or to make it obligatory on every customer to pay a little extra amount for charitable causes. Simple as the custom is and small though the amount of contribution each individual pays, the total funds amount to large, at times huge sums sufficient to run some of the best institutions the country possesses. This is the result of the cooperation of people known for their illiteracy and ignorant of the present day scientific cooperative movements.

Sir, what may we not, under the circumstances, expect from people well versed in three R's and aware of the good results of cooperation? It is no assumption to make that the people who read papers and books, and own and conduct papers and presses are all sufficiently learned to make joint efforts to raise a large fund for the purpose of getting the repeal of some bad press laws e.g. the Indian Press Act, etc., and of safeguarding the liberties of a free Press in the country. It is taken for granted that no Indian worth his salt could ever wish to have a bad Act to put obstacles in his onward march of progress or to restrict his legitimate expression of opinions or to mar, consciously or unconsciously, the enlightenment of his countrymen.

What is then that idea and how is it to be put in practice? I will explain it in short.

1. Some public body representing the presses and papers in India—say the Press Association of India—should resolve that every press and paper should set apart one per cent. of their net income for securing and safeguarding the freedom of the Press and pay same to that body.

2. Every press in India should charge its customers one anna per every printing bill amounting to Rs. 5, and multiples of Rs. 10, and collect same on behalf of such an Association.

3. Every Indian newspaper and periodical should request its subscribers to pay their contribution for the Press Fund on the following basis. (a) Anna 1 if the subscription is Rs. 5, and under (b) Annas 2, if the subscription is over Rs. 5, but under Rs. 10, (c) Annas 3 if the subscription is over Rs. 10, but under Rs. 15, (d) Annas 4 if the subscription is over Rs. 15.

Sir, I think all the three suggestions are most practicable and the least objectionable. It would show that the whole of India is alive to its responsibilities. If these suggestions are properly worked out and put in practice, I do not think the Association would ever be short of funds to do its work efficiently and achieve the objects for which it is inaugurated.

Acceptance of my suggestions, Sir, would also show that educated India feels it an intolerable shame to have a bad Press Act on the statute book and is keen and earnest in its desire for the repeal of the Act and the enjoyment of the freedom of the Press.—Yours, etc.,

CHUNILAL MAGANLAL.

Bombay, Aug. 20.

CALCUTTA LETTER

THE UNIVERSITY LAMA.

SPEECHES AGAINST REFORMS.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CALCUTTA, Aug. 18.

With the death of Sarath Chandra Dass, the great Tibetan scholar, a most erudite man has vanished from the arena of education in Calcutta, as far as this language was concerned. A strange news, however, now comes from Darjeeling, namely, that a learned Lama has offered his services and is coming on to Calcutta via Gyantse and Darjeeling to instruct the Calcutta University as to the best way of establishing a chair in this language. This language will be of the greatest service to those Bengalis and others who want to be employed by the military authorities on the North-Eastern Frontier by passing M.A. in Tibetan. The learned Lama knows no language but Tibetan and the greatest difficulty will be experienced in making him understand the requirements of the University when he frames the curriculum of study. His Holiness is a raw Tibetan and will, says the Darjeeling message, get about Rs. 300 from the University.

Release of Prisoners.

In the Presidency of Bengal 2,338 prisoners, including 113 females, were released on the 19th July while peace was being signed, But look at the statistics of the political suspects. One hundred and nineteen await the arrival of proper securities from kind-hearted friends or others! And the Peace has nothing to do with them.

The Namasudra Association.

A sensation was created the other day by the speech of Mr. Surendranath Chowdhury, who presided at a meeting of the Namasudras (Charals, as they are generally called) or depressed classes. Representatives from the Bengal districts attended. A dozen resolutions were passed and one expressed sorrow at the death of Dr. Nair. A Sub-committee was formed to draw up a memorandum on Reforms. Mr. Chowdhury said:—We want a real democracy and not an oligarchy: if an oligarchy is established now it will be a perpetual oligarchy! We would prefer a delayed democracy to an immediate oligarchy having full trust in a sympathetic British bureaucracy rather than in an unsympathetic oligarchy of the "so-called high castes who had been oppressing us in the past and would do so again but for the British Government!" The real aim of the so-called high caste men (said the President), some of whom style themselves extremists and some Moderates, is to establish an oligarchy. The speaker extolled Mahomedanism and said that thousands of men had embraced Islam in Bengal in days gone by owing to the prohibition against inter-dining and the "pollution" of water by the "untouchables." Even the stone god was rendered unclean if a Namasudra worshipped it! The ways of the Montagu-Moderates, he said, are inscrutable. He strongly criticised those who said in England the caste system was at an end. Whatever fault the "talkative folks of the so-called National Congress" find in it, the Namasudras give their hearty support to the anti-reform agitation everywhere.

Last Week's Literature.

Last week the most important book published in Calcutta was "Eeshanee," a novel by that veteran and sixty year old author and journalist Mr. Jaladhar Sen, editor of the leading Bengali magazine "Bharatbarsha". Mr. Sen is a bold author, and mercilessly exposes the Brahminical system of marriage and Kulinism in Bengal.

The Maharaj-Adhiraj of Bardwan has placed his prose and poetical works written in Bengali with a Calcutta publisher. This nobleman of Bengal is gaining daily in reputation as an author, and his "Bijoy Sangit and Bijan Sangit" have very large sales in Bengal. The Maharaja-Adhiraj is author of about a dozen Bengali books.

Dr. Rabindranath Tagore's "Home and the World" was adversely criticised by the "Englishman" the other day. It is a translation into English of his book "Ghare Baire," the heroine Bimala falling in love with the Swadeshi preacher "Sandip" in spite of her husband.

Miscellaneous News.

The "Faridpore Hitaishi" writes that Babu Shaikha of Kamalpore died of starvation. His wife used to beg, and as she could not get anything Baser died "for want of food." Bhudel Molla has been confined to his bed for want of food."

At a meeting of the Sahitya Parisad (Calcutta Literary Society) presided over by Mr. Hirendranath Dutt, the well-known author and politician, a resolution was passed condemning the action of the Commissioner of Police taken against the book "Fashion of Married Ladies."

Sir Ashutosh Mukherji will deliver an important speech at the Senate of the Calcutta on the 23rd instant on the University Commission's Report.

At the last meeting of the Bengal Council it was stated in reply to a question that during the last 12 months 123 internees were released. The number of persons under detention on 31st July last was 342. Out of them 119 will be released on furnishing security. It is stated by the Bengali press that about one thousand were released during the administration of Lord Ronaldshay. The father of the "state prisoner" Satis Ch. Bhattacharya is receiving an allowance of Rs. 20, as his son was the only earning member of the family.

The King-Edward Pasteur Institute at Shillong notifies:—"All cases of jackal-bite are bites from animals almost unquestionably rabid at the time of biting. Jackal bite as compared with dog bite is much more fatal and treatment probably has less chance."

Major Hurst will deliver a series of lectures in Calcutta on survey maps and records. This will enable students and others to gain some knowledge of routes in Bengal with a view to undertaking commercial enterprise.

SPORTING NEWS.

RACING AT POONA.

FIFTH EXTRA MEETING.

HORSES LEFT IN.

(From our Correspondent.)

POONA, Aug. 22.

The following are the Horses left in for the Fifth Extra Meeting to be run to-day, 23rd August:—

THE HARRIS PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Winner, Rs. 7,500; second, Rs. 2,500; third, Rs. 1,250. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 1st and 2nd Divisions.

Helford, 9-8; McNeill, 9-8; One, 9-6; Thunder, 9-1; Magyar, 9-1; Dersingham, 8-13; First Flier, 8-13; Brendan, 8-4; Baronvale, 8-2; Giacomi, 8-0; Sampier, 8-0; Gladiator, 6-13; Byculla, 6-7.

THE AYE PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Winner Rs. 3,500; second, Rs. 1,200; third, Rs. 600. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 2nd Division.

Cyanite, 9-4; Silver Saint, 8-10; Country Lad, 8-10; Royal Band, 8-4; Byculla, 8-4; Sophie, 8-1; Braga II., 7-8; Rueful, 7-7; Zefus, 7-3.

THE YERROWDA PLATE.—Distance about 5 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 3,500; second, Rs. 1,200; third, Rs. 600. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 2nd Division.

Mazboot 9-4; Kinsale, 9-3; Little Trout, 9-1; Sylvan Dale, 8-9; Royal Charter, 8-6; Miss Rollestone, 8-4; Fire Finch, 8-3; Margreen, 8-1; Christmas Holiday, 8-1; Donna Inez, 8-0; Fine Trout, 7-9; Mary, 7-6; Nerissa, 7-5; Lucky Queen, 7-4.

THE LANSDOWNE PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,500; second, Rs. 500; third, Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Crushed Glass, 9-3; Javelin, 9-3; Matchless Maud, 9-1; Flotelle, 9-1; Dorian, 9-0; Spearwood, 9-0; Gipsys Advice, 8-13; Stageland, 8-12; Glass Rock, 8-9; Abajala, 8-2; Mount Diablo, 8-2; Japanese Pine, 7-8; Tarquin, 7-8; Balira, 7-8; Fugle Lady, 7-6; Arles, 7-5; Oregon Pine, 7-4; Kit Grey Leg, 6-7.

THE BANGALORE PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 2,000; second, Rs. 700; third, Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Country-breds.

Sugar Cane, 9-12; Maple, 9-10; Maiden Palm, 9-6; Discarded, 9-6; Miss Twistum, 8-10; Kestrel II., 8-6; Sweet Apple, 8-2; Mountain Apple, 8-0; Tipster, 8-0; Mungar, 7-12; Suffona, 7-4; Toddy, 7-4.

THE HADAPSUR PLATE.—Distance 1¼ mile.

Winner, Rs. 3,000; second, Rs. 1,000; third Rs. 500. A High Weight Handicap for Arabs in the 1st and 2nd Divisions.

Collingwood, 9-13; Kayid, 9-10; Ruby Mine, 9-0; Durban, 9-0; Earl, 8-7; Krushan, 8-1; Nizam-ul-Mulk, 7-7; Dowlat, 7-7; Rose Hill, 7-5; portcullis, 7-5; Hadoor, 7-5; Amir Aswad, 7-3; Hakum, 6-10.

THE MATHERAN PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 1,500; second, Rs. 500, third Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Arabs in the 2nd Division.

Portcullis, 9-2; Ferry Boat, 9-0; Fury, 8-10; Nassau, 8-9; Tawdry, 8-9; Red Prince, 8-8; Mentor, 8-6; Zuheir, 8-6; Black Ivory 8-6; Gold King, 8-2; Dandelion, 8-1; Quantity, 8-1; Balloon, 8-4; Jawad, 8-0; Excelsior, 7-13; Angler, 7-12; Good Luck, 7-10; Kokab, 7-10; Ajmer, 7-10; Beadmaker, 7-7; All Joy, 7-6; Chester, 6-12.

BIG MEETING.

FIRST ENTRIES: 1ST AND 2ND DAY.

First Entries closed on Tuesday, 5th August, 1919.

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, 3rd September, 1919.

THE TRIAL PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's b e g Thunder, aged.
Mr. Guthrie's b e g Calder Vale, aged.
H. H. Maharaja of Cooch Behar's ch e h McNeil, 4 years.
Mr. E. C. Galstaun's b e h St. Quin, 5 years.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's br e g Mordennis, 5 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' b e h First Flier, 5 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' b e g Oros, 5 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e h Magyar, aged.
Mr. R. R. S.'s ch e h Quarryman, 5 years.
Mr. Pine's b e g Dersingham, aged.
Mr. A. S. Moloobhoy's b e g Cresset, 5 years.
Mr. A. Hope's b e h Cimarron, 6 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass, F. M. Garda and Sangidas Jesiram's br e h Roubaix, 5 years.
Mr. M. Goculdass' ch e h Polyorama, 4 years.

THE CRITERION PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's b e h Sampier, 5 years.
Mr. Frank's br e g Brendan, 6 years.
Mr. Kelso's ch e g We Two, 5 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s br e h Footman, aged.
Mr. R. R. S.'s bl e g Black Kite, aged.
Mr. Pine's b e g Penny Pie, aged.
Mr. A. S. Moloobhoy's b e g Cresset, years.
Capt. P. Bouvet's b e g Louviers d'Or, 6 years.
Mr. T. Harrison's b e g Cattistock, aged.
Mr. M. Goculdass' b e h Cheechako, 4 years.
Mr. M. Goculdass' b e g Baronvale, 6 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass, F. M. Garda and Sangidas Jesiram's br e h Roubaix, 5 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Gwalior's ch a h Cromdale, aged.

THE BALDOYLE PLATE.—Distance about 5 furlongs.

Mr. Guthrie's b e m Tootsie, 6 years.
Mr. Frank's ch e m Foolish Fancy, aged.
Mr. Garrick's b e h Vice Chamberlain, 5 years.
Mr. E. A. Gubbay's br e m Little Trout, 4 years.
Mr. J. L. Ainsworth's b e m Margreen, aged.
Mr. J. P. J. Walen's ch e g Dori, 5 years.
Mr. Bennett's ch e g Tollendal, aged.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's b e m Enchantment, 5 years.
Mr. Downes' b e m Stop Watch, 5 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' b e g Bucko, 3 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e h Dunskey, 6 years.
Mr. Kelso's b e m Miss Rollestone, aged.
Mr. Kelso's ch e g We Two, 5 years.
Mr. C. N. Wadia's b e h Mazboot, aged.
Mr. A. S. Moloobhoy's b e g Symrex, aged.
Mr. Pine's br e m Bellicose, 5 years.
Mr. A. Hope's ch e m Donna Inez, 5 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's b e h Fire Finch, aged.
Mr. M. Goculdass' ch e m Cicatrix, 6 years.
Mr. S. D. Magarabi's br e m Fine Trout, 5 years.
Aga Coochick Shah's b e g Binfield Grove, aged.
General Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b e m Premiere, aged.
Mr. Dale's bl e m Nerissa, 4 years.
Mr. Sorabjee Rustomjee's br e m Lucky Queen, 5 years.

THE LINCOLN PLATE.—Distance about 5 furlongs.

Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's b e m Renette, 4 years.
Mr. Garrick's b e m Hello Kelly, 4 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's ch e m Negligee, 4 years.
Messrs. N. Begmahomed and S. N. Mahomed's ch e m Niji, 5 years.
Mr. F. A. Tarrant's b e m May Lass, 3 years.
Mr. Dale's b e m Quite Dark, 3 years.
Mr. Humble's bl e g Christmas Holiday, 3 years.
Mr. F. A. Tarrant's br e m Moldavia, 4 years.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's b e g Pahari, 4 years.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's br e g Rosemorder, 5 years.
Mr. Downes' br e h Billy Bawn, aged.
Mr. J. H. Crawford's b e g Millmount, 3 years.
Mr. J. K. Irani's b e g King's Head, aged.
Mr. J. K. Irani's b e m Arles, 5 years.
Mrs. J. K. Mehta and Mr. S. C. Petit's b e m Belle Syme, 4 years.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's g e g Roi Grison, 4 years.
Mr. F. Pallonjee's br e g Romanesque, aged.
Mr. Heath's br e h Lucky Thought, 6 years.
Mr. P. B. Avasia's b e g Spearwood, 5 years.
Messrs. D. C. Cooper and A. Hatfield's b e g Royal Charter, 4 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' b e m Raloo, 3 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' ch e g Sospello, 6 years.
Mr. Kelso's b e g Crushed Glass, 4 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e g First Exchange, 5 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s ch e g Stageland, 6 years.
Mr. Pine's br e m Tara Pine, 4 years.
Mr. Pine's ch e g Oregon Pine, 5 years.
Capt. P. Bouvet's br e m Belle Voyageuse II, 3 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's b e m Miss Glad Eyes, 3 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's b e m Mirabelle, 3 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's ch e m Doranda, 4 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's ch e m Antic, 4 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's b e m Sylvan Dale, 3 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's b e g Firpo, 4 years.
Aga Coochick Shah's b e g Mount Diabolo, 5 years.
Aga Coochick Shah's b e g Tommy Atkins, 4 years.
Mr. T. Tejpal's b e g Explosive, 3 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Mysore's ch e m Japonette, 4 years.
General Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b e m Motor Wrap, aged.
General Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b e m Final Proof, aged.
Mr. Sorabjee Rustomjee's ch e m Cornet's Court, 3 years.
Mr. F. N. Furdoonjee's b e g Servian, aged
Mr. Toogood's b e m South Star, 4 years.
Mr. Nadir F. Garda's b e h High Life, 3 years.

THE POONA COUNTRY-BRED DERBY.—Distance 7 furlongs.

H. H. Maharaja of Patiala's br cb m Cherson Lass (by Cherson—Psyche), 4 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Patiala's b cb h Cherson Bill (by Cherson—Parlour Maid), 4 years.
Mrs. A. Symond's b cb m Peggy (by Buxton—Romany Lass), 3 years.
Major A. de C. Rennick's b cb h Joffre (by Vindicator—Joan of Arc), 3 years.
Lt.-Col. J. J. Richardson's b cb h Mountain Apple (by Sugar Apple—Brynbella), 4 years.
H. H. The Nizam's Stud Deptt.'s br cb h Mundercel (by The Cellarer—Munderina, 4 years.
H. H. The Nizam's Stud Deptt.'s br cb h Alice (by The Cellarer—Alia), 4 years.
H. H. The Nizam's Stud Deptt.'s br cb h Alicel (by The Cellarer—Alia) 4 years.
H. H. The Nizam's Stud Deptt.'s ch cb h Buxtoncel (by The Cellarer—Buxton Lass), 4 years.
H. H. The Nizam's Stud Deptt.'s ch cb m Harvestcel (by The Cellarer—Harvest Queen) 3 years.
H. H. The Nizam's Stud Deptt.'s b cb m Couradel (by Delenda—Couralea), 3 years.
Mr. A. W. Essa's b cb h Apple Pie (by Sugar Apple—Cowai), 4 years.
Capt. Sirdar Singh of Shahpura's b cb h Courtier (by Courage—Kitarro), 4 years.
Mr. F. M. Garda's br cb h Submarine (by Sugar Apple—Dreadnought), 4 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Mysore's ch cb h Munro (by Munderah—Co-quarro), 4 years.
H. H. Yuvaraja of Mysore's bl cb h Curzon (by Cuirass—Kill Jenny), 4 years.
Mrs. D. M. Bright's br cb m Cider (by Sugar Apple—Palm Wine), 4 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's b cb h Tipster (by Sugar Apple—Cow Donna), 4 years.
Mr. F. A. Tarrant's br cb h Black Lead (by Black Douglas—Muncrayon), 4 years.
Mr. C. Quinn Young's b cb m Lady Carbine (by Black Drake—Dam by O'Trigger), 4 years.
Capt. J. Crawford's b cb m Artist's Model (by Vigilance—Pastel), 3 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b cb h Applewood (by Sugar Apple—Cauvery), 4 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s bl cb h Coral (by Cuirass—Coel), 4 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s bl cb h Cupid (by Cuirass—Philopal), 4 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Mysore's ch cb h Cuidon (by Cuirass—Pardon), 3 years.
Mr. J. L. Keenan's br cb h Corporal (by Cuirass—Cow Phil Palm II), 4 years.
Mr. A. Coningham's b cb h Suffona (by Sugar Apple—Fabiana), 3 years.
Mysore Govt. Stud Farm's bl cb h Belgravian (by Black Douglas—Mun Coal Garnet), 3 years.
H. H. Yuvaraja of Mysore's bl cb h Better Luck (by Black Douglas—Betty), 3 years.
H. H. Maharani of Baroda's ch cb m Bonglassie (by Black Douglas—Colasi), 3 years.
Mr. A. Coningham's bl cb m Mungar (by Munderah—Kilgarnet), 4 years.
Mysore Govt. Stud Farm's ch cb m Munas (by Munderah—Astolat), 4 years.
Mysore Govt. Stud Farm's ch cb m Dowsing (by Black Douglas—Cow Kil Fillum), 3 years.

THE POONA ARAB DERBY.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Mr. Ali bin Talib's ch a h Hakum, 4 years
Mr. Ali bin Talib's b a h Jawad, 4 years.
Mr. Mahomed Ebrahim's g a h Angler, 13-3½, aged.
Mr. M. Goculdass' g a h Mentor, aged.
Mr. M. Goculdass' b a g Rose Hill, 6 years.
Mr. M. Goculdass' b a h Kokab, 4 years.
Mr. Garrick's b a h Rainbow, 4 years.
Col. J. Desaraj Urs' g a h Fusilier, aged.
Mr. Nasim Saleh's g a h Good Morning, 13-2½, aged.
Mr. Ahmed Hazamy's ch a h All Joy, 13-3½, 5 years.
Mr. Bennett's ch a h Otherwise, 14-0, 5 years.
Mr. Munshi S. A. Rahim's g a h Ornate, 14-0, 4 years.
Mr. Abdul Latiff Mandil's g a h Ferry Boat, 13-3, aged.
Mr. Abdul Latiff Mandil's ch a h Tankard, aged.
Messrs. Abdul Latiff Mandil and A. M. Shamlan's g a h Countermark, 13-3, aged.
Mr. Dawoodbhoy Nensey's g a h Malar, 5 years.
Messrs. Noble and R. N. Allana's b a h Tasmania, 5 years.
Messrs. Heath and J. K. Irani's b a h Krushan, 5 years.
Mr. Lantin's b a h Beadmaker, 13-2, aged.
Mr. P. J. Chenoy's g a h Nassau, aged.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's g a h Dowlat, 6 years.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's g a h Palermo, 5 years.
Mr. Pine's g a h Caulkey, aged.
Mr. Heath's ch a h Portcullis, 4 years.
Mr. D. C. Cooper's b a h Ayr Laddie, 4 years.
Mr. Hesan's ch a h Hadoor, aged.
Mrs. Dara Cowasjee's g a h Quantity, 6 years.
Mr. S. D. Magarabi's ch a h Cherry Ripe, 5 years.
Mr. Bennett's ch a h Sardananale, 4 years.
Mr. Hajee Jaffer's g a h Fattahabad, 4 years.
General Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b a h Look Out, 4 years.

THE DEALERS' NEW PALTE.—Distance 1¼ mile.

Messrs. Diamond and A. Nanjee's ch a h Eastern Star, aged.
Mr. Felice's b a h Kitchener, 14-0, 3 years.
Mr. Felice's ch a h Red Flower, 3 years.
Dr. S. V. Kandalkar's b a h Paladin, aged.
Mr. M. Goculdass' b a h Redoubt, 4 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's g a h Tipperary, 4 years.
Mr. Smvke's b a h Sannayat, 14-0, aged.
Mr. Smvke's g a h Patel, 14-0, aged.
Mr. S. V. Varde's b a h Huntsman, 6 years.
Mr. Ebrahim Kadum's b a h Peace Day, 13-3½, 5 years.
Mr. Ebrahim Kadum's ch a h Sher Khan, 6 years.
Messrs. S. N. Mahomed and A. Nanjee's br a h America, 13-3, 4 years.
Mr. Neil's b a h Monocle, 5 years.
Mr. Munshi M. Yussuff Khan's g a h Good Star, 14-0, 3 years.
Mr. Simon's ch a h Whip, 13-3½, 5 years.
Mr. Menesche Shahin's g a h Gazetteer, 13-3½, 6 years.
Mr. Rajmahomed Vazir's ch a h Mulkee, 4 years.
Messrs. Heath and J. K. Irani's b a h Krushan, 5 years.
Mr. Crammond's ch a h Honey, aged.
Mr. Valijee Moosajee's ch a h Peninsula, 4 years.
Messrs. Mahomed Shaffy and S. R. A. Wahab's b a h Goldshan, 14-0, 5 years.
Messrs. Mahomed Shaffy and S. R. A. Wahab's g a h Asfoor, 4 years.
Mr. M. M. Isfani's g a h Nasriyeh, 4 years.
Mr. M. M. Isfani's g a h Bahadorjung, 4 years.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's g a h Jamnagar, 13-3, 4 years.
Mr. Pine's ch a h American Pine, 14-0, aged.
Mr. A. S. Moloobhoy's g a h By Chance, 13-3½, aged.
Mr. Yussuff Haroon's g a h Ramadi, 4 years.
Mr. Heath's b a h Speedwell, 13-3½, aged.
Mr. Heath's b a h Foremost, aged.
Mr. Heath's g a h Emir, 6 years.
Mr. A. Hamid Sulleman's b a h Sailor Prince, 4 years.
Mr. Hesan's ch a h Domineer, 14-0, 4 years.
Mr. Hesan's b a h Archduke, 4 years.
Messrs. Yussuff Sheriff and K. Hakimjee's b a h Anarchist, 5 years.
Messrs. Arnold and Dara Cowasjee's b a h Hurricane, 4 years.
Mr. R. S. Captain's g a h Lamington, 3 years.
Mr. A. M. Shaffi's b a h Chungiz, 13-3½, 3 years.
Mr. S. D. Magarabi's g a h Solid Silver, 5 years.
Mr. S. A. Wahed's g a h Plato, 14-0, aged.
Mr. Sookraga Mahomood's g a h Tiger, 13-3½, 5 years.
Mr. Sookraga Mahomood's b a h Kherallah, 4 years.
Mr. Sookraga Mahmood's g a h Top Notch, 4 years.
Mr. Sookraga Mahmood's b a h Rangoon, 14-0, 3 years.
Mr. Ebrahim bin Zaid's b a h Sure Chance, 13-3½, aged.
Mr. Abdoola Faras' g a h Socotra, 6 years.
Mr. Abdoola Faras' ch a h Newcastle, 4 years.

SECOND DAY.

Saturday, 6th September, 1919.

THE AGA KHAN'S CUP.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Mr. A. Coningham's b or br e h Helford, 5 years.
Mr. Guthrie's b e g Calder Vale, aged.
Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's b e g Thunder, aged.
H. H. Maharaja of Cooch Behar's ch e h McNeil, 4 years.
Mr. E. C. Galstaun's b e h St. Quin, 5 years.
Mr. J. P. J. Walen's ch e g One, 6 years.
Mr. E. L. F. De Soysa's br e g Mordennis, 5 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' b e h First Flier, 5 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e h Magyar, aged.
Mr. Pine's b e g Dersingham, aged.

THE POONA PLATE.—Distance About 5 furlongs.

Mr. R. R. S.'s ch e h Quarryman, 5 years.
Mr. Hope's b e h Cimarron, 6 years.
Mr. A. S. Moloobhoy's b e g Cresset, 5 years.

THE AUTUMN PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's b e g Anthracite, 6 years.
Mr. M. Goculdass' ch e g Gladiator, aged.
Mr. A. J. De Souza's ch e g Claim A, 6 years.
Mr. Garrick's b e h Vice Chamberlain, 5 years.
Messrs. E. C. Ramshaw and A. Nanjee's b e m Pantomime II, aged.
Mr. J. P. J. Walen's ch e g Dori, 5 years.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's b e h Summer Thyme, aged.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's b e g County Cricket, 6 years.
Mr. Downes' b e g Treddle, 5 years.
Mr. Fleming's ch e m Mary, 6 years.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's br e h Royal Band, 6 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s br e h Footman, aged.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e h Dunskey, 6 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e g Cyanite, 6 years.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b e g Kinsale, 6 years.
Mr. Kelso's b e m Miss Rollestone, aged.
Mr. Kelso's ch e g We Two, 5 years.
Mr. Kelso's b e g Plaxtol, 4 years.
Mr. A. S. Moloobhoy's b e g Symrex, aged.
Mr. C. N. Wadia's b e h Mazboot, aged.
Mr. Pine's b e g Penny Pie, aged.
Mr. T. Harrison's b e g Cattistock, aged.
Mr. A. Hope's b e m Normannia, 5 years.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's br e g Country Lad, 4 years.
Mr. M. Goculdass' br e g Cherry and Black, 4 years.
Mr. M. Goculdass' b e g Silver Saint, 5 years.
Mr. S. D. Magarabi's br e m Fine Trout, 5 years.
Aga Coochick Shah's b e g Binfield Grove, aged.
Aga Coochick Shah's ch e m Birthday Clothes, aged.
Genl. Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b e m Premiere, aged.
Mr. Sorabjee Rustomjee's br e m Lucky Queen, 5 years.
Mr. Nadir F. Garada's ch e g Zefus, 6 years.

THE GALWAY PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's b e m Fugle Lady, 4 years.
Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's bl e g Veiled Certainty, 6 years.
H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's ch e g Athlete, aged.
Mr. Dale's b e g Mintspear, 6 years.
Mr. F. A. Tarrant's b e g Abajala, 4 years.
Mr. Humble's bl e g Christmas Holiday, 3 years.
Mr. E. A. Gubbay's b e m Flotelle, 5 years.
Mr. Bennett's b e h Dorian, aged.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's b e g Pahari, 4 years.
Mr. E. L. F. DeSoysa's br e g Rosemorder, 5 years.
Mr. J. K. Irani's b e g Lupinus, 5 years.
Mr. Arnold's br e h Sir Balin, 5 years.
Mr. Arnold's b e g Nice Bird, 5 years.
Messrs. D. C. Cooper and A. Hatfield's b e g Royal Charter, 4 years.
Mr. T. M. Thaddeus' ch e h St. Bawn, 5 years.
Mr. Pine's b e m Japanese Pine, 5 years.
Mr. Pine's br e m Tara Pine, 4 years.
Mr. Pine's b e g Batten, aged.
Mr. Linder's b e g Tarquin, aged.
Mr. M. Goculdass' br e g Gipsy's Advice, aged.
Messrs. M. Goculdass and F. M. Garda's ch e h Antic, 4 years.
Mr. S. D. Magarabi's b e g Decorum, aged.
Aga Coochick Shah's b e g Tommy Atkins, 4 years.
Mr. S. A. Wahed's b e g Saunterer, aged.
Mr. F. A. Tarrant's b e g Foxtor, 4 years.
Mr. Leonard's br e g Gantry, 3 years.
Mr. Toogood's b e m Loch D, 4 years.

H. H. THE AGA KHAN'S COMMEMORATION PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Mr. Ali bin Talib's ch a h Mandil, 14-0, aged.
Mr. Ali bin Talib's ch a h Hakum, 4 years.
Mr. Ali bin Talib's b a h Jawad, 4 years.
Mr. H. G. Ally's b a h Ajmer, aged.
Mr. Garrick's b a h Rainbow, 4 years.
Col. J. Desaraj Urs' g a h Fusilier, aged.
Mr. Abdul Latiff Mandil's g a h Ferry Boat, 13-3, aged.
Mr. Abdul Latiff Mandil's ch a h Tankard, aged.
Messrs. Abdul Latiff Mandil and A. M. Shamlan's g a h Countermark, 13-3, aged.
Mr. Pine's b a h Dictate, 5 years.
Mr. Dawoodbhoy Nensey's g a h Cessation, 5 years.
Messrs. Noble and R. N. Allana's b a h Tasmania, 5 years.
Messrs. Heath and J. K. Irani's b a h Krushan, 5 years.
Mr. Crammond's ch a h Honey, aged.
Mr. P. J. Chenoy's g a h Nassau, aged.
Messrs. Mahomed Shaffy and S. R. A. Wahab's b a h Golshan, 14-0, 5 years.
Mr. Syed Rashid's g a h Winning Post, 3 years.
Mr. M. M. Isfani's g a h Compliment, 4 years.
Mr. M. M. Isfani's g a h Nasriyeh, 4 years.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's b a h Collingwood, aged.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's ch a h Durban, 13-3, aged.
Mr. R. H. Gahagan's g a h Dowlat, 6 years.
Mr. Pine's g a h Caulkey, aged.
Mr. Heath's ch a h Portcullis, 4 years.
Mr. D. C. Cooper's b a h Ayr Laddie, 4 years.
Messrs. Dara Cowasjee and Arnold's b a h Red Cross, 13-3½, aged.
Mr. Hajee Jaffer's g a h Fattahabad, 4 years.
Mr. S. A. Wahed's bl a h Black Hussar, aged.
Genl. Nawazada Obaidulla Khan's g a h Earl, 5 years.

THE ARAB PONY DERBY.—Distance furlongs.

Mr. S. E. A. Wahab's g a h Summerton, 13-3½.
Mr. Felice's b a h Kitchener, 14-0.
Mr. Mowlud Haji Ali's b a h Financier, 13-3½.
Mr. Mahomed Ebrahim's g a h My Royal, 14-0.
Mr. H. G. Ally's g a h Proud Boy, 13-2.
Messrs. Hastings and Guthrie's g a h Tit Bits, 14-0.
Mr. M. Goculdass' ch a h Mechanic, 14-0.
Mr. M. Goculdass' g a h Grey Renard, 13-3½.
Mr. Nasim Saleh's g a h Good Morning, 13-3½.
Mr. Ebrahim Kadum's b a h Peace Day, 13-2½.
Mr. Bennett's ch a h Otherwise, 14-0.
Mr. Bennett's g a h Final Shot, 13-3½.
Mr. Munshi S. A. Rahim's g a h Ornate, 14-0.
Mr. P. J. Chenoy's g a h Ata Allah, 14-0.
Mr. K. Cassumbhoy's g a h Tawdry, 13-3½.
Mr. Aspandiar Ardesher's bl a h Bayonet, 14-0.
Mr. Heath's br a h Innocence, 14-0.
Mr. R. R. S.'s b a h Natal, 14-0.
Messrs. R. S. Captain and T. V. Shroff's g a h Aladdin, 13-2½.
Genl. Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's ch a Marmora, 14-0.
Genl. Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's ch a h Fury, 13-1½.
Genl. Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's b a h Powder Puff, 14-0.

CALCUTTA MONSOON RACES.

SECOND EXTRA MEETING.

(From our own Correspondent.)

THE SUMMER HURDLE PLATE.—Distance 1½ miles over 7 flights.

Pomade 11/0; Brandichoe 10/3; Silver Lining 10/7; Monopoly 10/0; Glenlyon 9/3; Sea Lad 9/3; Gun Carriage 9/0.

THE ELGIN PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

Valentine's Brook 9/0; Jack 8/13; Flansinfred 8/12; No Ball 8/12; Pough Corrib 8/9; Highfield Lady 8/5; Pick of the Bunch 8/1; Sunny Time 7/13; Last Spot 7/7.

THE RIVER PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Verland Rose 10/13; Bachelor's Prospect 9/6; Sea Lad 8/7; L. U. Lad 9/1; Slippery Ann 7/0; Master Priam 7/0; Quality 7/0.

THE EMPIRE PLATE.—Distance 1 mile 3 furlongs.

Gibberish 9/12; Kilrea 9/8; Pomade 9/5; Midsand 9/3; Alannah 8/13; Le Soleil 8/3; Shwe Dine 8/2.

THE KALIGHAT PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Declared 9/11; Lu Lad 9/8; Little Simon 9/7; Yeleawee 9/7; Watch Tower 9/4; Zelia 9/3; Partnership 8/12; Fiasco 8/11; Jam Crack 8/11; Luna 8/6; Master Priam 7/5; Emmie 7/2; Clematis 7/0.

POONA RACES: HANDICAPS.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—There appears to be considerable dissatisfaction amongst the owners and trainers at Poona due to the irregular and unsatisfactory way the Handicaps have been recently framed. Certain horses continue to be very much favoured at the expense of others and your Racing Correspondent only the other day drew the attention of the public to a few of them. Will you kindly allow me to point out some more glaring favouritism in only a few of the recent races? In the C B Trial Plate run on the 1st day, Discarded carrying 9st came in third, while amongst the "Also ran" were Maple 9-12 Miss Twistum 8-13 Kestrel II 8-7 and so on. In the Patiala Plate run over the same distance, for some inexplicable reason Discarded was reduced 3lbs for having placed on the previous day while Maple was still kept at 9-12 for his "Also ran" and old Kestrel II given a 11b allowance for his distinction of being in the "Crowd". Then we go on to the Bangalore Plate, another race for country-breds to be run on the 23rd inst. Maiden Palm is penalised 3lbs for having secured second place in the Patiala Plate. This penalty may be justified but for what earthly reason is the horse (Tipster) which came behind Maiden Palm penalised more than him? Then again we notice the "Also ran" in the Patiala Plate are given the same weight in the Bangalore Plate with the exception of Mountain Apple which is reduced 4lbs. Now I ask why should one horse be reduced at the expense of others? Is there no method or principle on which these handicaps are drawn up? I will give you another bad case. In the Wellington Plate run at Bombay over a mile and a quarter Baronavale 8-7 and Sampier 8-8 placed third and fourth respectively, while Thunder 9-4 and First Flier 9-1 were amongst the "Also ran". The next time these four meet which is in the Harris Plate over the same distance, the placed horses are reduced 5 and 8lbs respectively while the two that had the distinction of being amongst the "Also ran" are given an allowance of 3 and 2lbs. In other words the "Also ran" are penalised more than the two which beat them. Surely handicapping is not such a difficult task as to cause such inaccuracies. I could point out several other bad cases but I trust the above will be sufficient to rectify any future mistake.

Handicaps should be framed entirely on the merits and performances of each horse and not on the "performances" of their owners. Most of the races to come will be spoiled of their interest if some improvement is not made, and I trust the officials of the W. I. T. C. will carefully look into this.—Yours, etc.,

SPECTATOR.

NORTHCOTE SHIELD CRICKET TOURNAMENT.

BARODA COLLEGE vs. GUJRATH COLLEGE.

(From a Correspondent.)

BARODA, August 20.

The first match in connection with the above shield and also H. H. the Gaekwar's Cup, was played on Monday and Tuesday last, on the Baroda College ground between the Baroda College and the Gujrath College, and resulted in a win for the former by 1 wicket and 58 runs. The match was keenly contested and witnessed by a large number of spectators and the members of the Gaekwar family, prominent among them being Prince Pratapsinhji, the heir-apparent and Prince Shivajirao, who captained the Hindu team some time back. The Baroda College going in first to bat, put up a total of 69 runs, to which the visitors replied with 42. The outstanding feature of the day's play was the splendid effort of Mr. L. D. Surve, from the Baroda College, who turned the fortunes of the day, and practically saved the home team from a heavy collapse by stone-walling tactics which were productive of no less than 31 runs. Going in to bat at a very critical time, when things wore a gloomy aspect, he played for full two hours and practically remained unbeaten till the end, when, however, he fell a victim to a finely pitched ball from Mr. R. S. Patel, who secured a fine analysis of 5 wickets for only 19 runs. From the Gujrath College Mr. S. A. Dave (Capt.), was the only man to get into double figures and played well for his 16 runs. The rest could do very little against the bowling of Mr. D. L. Mane, who was deadly effective and captured 6 wickets for only 17 runs, three of them being smartly stumped off by Mr. K. R. Jadhave, the wicket-keeper. In the second innings, the home team put up a score of 75 for the fall of 9 wickets while the visitors only scored 44 runs.

On the conclusion of the match, a bat was presented on behalf of Lion & Co. to Mr. L. D. Surve, for the highest individual score at the hands of Prince Shivajirao. The Baroda College will play with the Surat Sarvajanik College in the next week. The following are the scores:—

BARODA COLLEGE.—1st Innings.

K. R. Jadhav, 0; Dharkar, 3; V. N. Abhyankar, 5; Surve L. D., 31; More B. B., 0; Mane, 6; Desai, B. R., 3; Wadgaokar, 3; Desai, B. M., 10; Ghatye D. R., 0; Wagle, 8. Total 69.

2nd Innings.

V. N. Abhyankar, 23; Dharkar, 4; Desai B. M., 15; Jadhav K. R., 8; More B. B., 2; Surve L. D., 1; Mane D. L., 7; Desai B. R., 0; Wagle, 6; Ghatge, 6; extras, 3. Total 75.

GUJRATH COLLEGE.—1st Innings.

Sheth N. P., 0; Dave C. R., 4; Chokshi G. T., 0; Laher D. A., 0; Patel R. S., 6; Dave S. A. (Capt.), 16; Mehta C. I., 3; Wankadia, 0; Dave L. D., 0; Swaminarayan, 4; Rana, 2; extras, 8. Total 42.

2nd Innings.

Dave C. R. 7; Mehta C. I., 6; Laher D. A., 7; Chokshi G. T. 0; Sheth N. P., 3; Dave S. A. (Capt.), 8; Patel R. S., 5; Rana, 6; Dave, 0; Swaminarayan, 0; Wankadia, 0; extras, 3. Total 44.

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CHARGE OF CULPABLE HOMICIDE AGAINST OWNER.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Aug 22.

Yesterday Mr. J. G. Drummond, District Magistrate of Alipore, was engaged in hearing the case in which Mr. J. B. Minet stood charged with culpable homicide not amounting to murder. The case for prosecution was that on the night of 26th June L. B. Minet left his bunglow in his motor car with three ladies and an Army Captain, Minet was driving near the premises of the Army Clothing Department when the car knocked down an unknown Indian causing instantaneous death. Minet stopped the car for a short time and then drove off. A few days after the police traced the car and sent up Minet for trial. After examining nine witnesses the Magistrate framed charges under Section 304A Penal Code and Section 16 of the Motor Vehicle Act. Accused in his statement said he knocked down a man while going down to the hospital. He stopped the car and went up to the man who stood up and was talking to his friend and said he was all right. There were so many cars passing about that the dead man might have been knocked down by an army of them.

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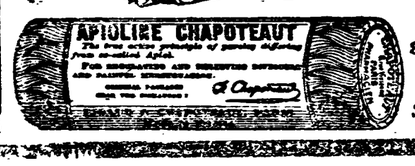

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"TERRORISM IN THE PUNJAB."

(BY N. C. KELKAR.)

Reuter gives some really very painful news from India this week. The Martial Law Commission of Lahore has convicted several prominent gentlemen of the Punjab under Sections 120-121, etc., of the Indian Penal Code, and sentenced them to transportation for life. Among these are Messrs. Harkisenlal, Dulichand, Rambhuj Dutt, Kicluew, Satyapal, who are all highly-respected citizens and leaders of their communities. All of them are Congressmen—men, that is to say, who are wedded to and believe in constitutional agitation. Some of them are barristers or advocates of long standing, and others have rendered services to the Government. It is impossible in the very nature of things that men like these should enter into a conspiracy to wage war against the British Government. Some of these are noted for their strong commonsense and level-headness, and to charge them with an offence of that nature is to question in an unjustifiable manner their claim to intelligence of the most ordinary kind. The offence had its origin more in the addled brain of the vindictive Proconsul of the Punjab than in any of the doings of his victims. India, from one end of the country to the other, will, we know, confidently give the lie to the heinous charge against the convicted Punjab leaders.

Our readers perhaps remember that last week we had published in our columns the joint and several petitions of some of the convicted gentlemen to the Viceroy and Governor-General. They give us an insight into the real causes which must have led to the present prosecutions. The accused had the misfortune to be effective critics of Government measures, and it is the discharge of their obvious duty as leaders of public opinion that has brought them into trouble. Lala Harkisenlal had exposed the intrigues of some of the Punjab officials before the Industrial Commission; Lala Dunichand, again, had severely criticised the administration of Sir Michael O'Dwyer as President of the Provincial Conference at Amritsar in 1918, and also as a witness before the Rowlatt Committee. In fact, Lala Dunichand, anticipating that he had risked the serious displeasure of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab in doing his public duty, had appealed to the President of the Committee for recommendation to the Punjab police authorities present at the time of his evidence that he would not be put to trouble on account of his evidence before the said Committee. Perhaps the President of the Committee regarded the appeal with indifference born of disbelief in the insinuated allegation. The Punjab Government, however, was nourishing its wrath in secret, and plunged its deadly venomous fangs in the body of its opponent at the first plausible opportunity.

The convicted gentlemen of the Punjab had openly stated in their petitions to the Viceroy that they had no chance of a fair trial unless their cases were transferred to the High Court of some other province in India. We do not think it was really safe for them to have sworn thus in the name even of a High Court. But that, at any rate, is the last word in naming a trusted tribunal in India, as no jury is allowed. If Government really wanted to give these men justice they could have ordered the transfer of their cases to a High Court, notwithstanding the martial law; for the alleged offences were committed prior to the enactment of that law. But the Viceroy, it must be said to his discredit, apparently did not want to give these men a fair trial. On the contrary, he evidently did want to have a summary trial by an irresponsible tribunal with extraordinary powers, so that extrordinarily heavy sentences might be inflicted and terror should be established in the land. On no other supposition can we explain the formation of the Military Commission, or the refusal of the prayer of the accused for permission to their chosen counsel to enter the Punjab. We know the Viceroy could not perhaps be held answerable for some of the acts like throwing bombs from an aeroplane on dispersing mobs, during the supression of the riots. He could not prevent what he was not aware was going to happen. But he certainly could change the venue of the trials if he liked, or order the trials to take place before an ordinary judicial tribunal, in Punjab itself or allow counsel from other provinces to enter the Punjab, especially when definite prayers to that effect were laid before him in written petitions.

As it is, we have no words to adequately characterise the monstrous outrages that have been thus committed in the Punjab in the name of Law. We do not want to justify any riots, whether they were committed as a protest against the Rowlatt Acts or the repressive regime of Sir Michael O'Dwyer. But we absolutely refuse to believe that the Punjab leaders who have been so atrociously dealt with were either themselves a party to any riots or had ever given incitement to them by reckless speeches, or secret encouragement. Much less that they conspired to wage war against the British Government in India.

When the Viceroy thus proved himself hopeless or impossible as a guardian of the judicial conscience of the British Government, we naturally think of the State Secretary. It is possible that Mr. Montagu may himself dislike some of these things, especially when he is face to face with the best representatives of the people of India now in this country. Perhaps also he may be "making enquiries" by cabling furtive questions to the Man on the Spot. That, however, is not enough. We take the liberty to tell him that this unbridled repression in India, this disgraceful treatment of India's best sons, this shameless disregard for the most obvious considerations of justice—and this impudent defiance of the sentiments of the Indian people—all these are bound to cause to the already lacerated heart of India wounds which with the utmost difficulty can ever be healed. If we are sorry for the fate which meets some of our comrades in the Punjab we are equally sorry for the British Government, which, obviously, seals the doom of its character as a civilised Government. It is possible that Mr. Montagu, as the result of his enquiries, might intervene, as an angel of mercy, and order the commutation of the sentences now passed upon the Punjab leaders. But this timid tinkering with the colossal blunders of the Viceroy cannot be accepted as a palliation of the real evil. Mr. Montagu either accepts or does not accept the policy in the Punjab. If he does we shall, of course, know what to think of him; but if he does not, then he must advise the recall of Lord Chelmsford, for nothing else can now adequately meet the situation. In the matter of the Rowlatt Act Mr. Montagu, we are asked by his apologists to believe, had made a bargain with the Viceroy by which the latter was to give him the constitutional reforms unopposed, in return for that hateful legislation. May we enquire if the bargain extends to this policy of inhuman repression? The mere reduction of sentences, we frankly tell Mr. Montagu, will not do. It can mend matters in this case no more than can a mere decent burial atone for murder. It is our firm conviction that the Punjab leaders are guiltless, and we do demand in the name of India that an open and avowed reversal of the Viceroy's policy of repression in the Punjab must be begun by Mr. Montagu with an immediate release of these unhappy victims of that policy.—"India."

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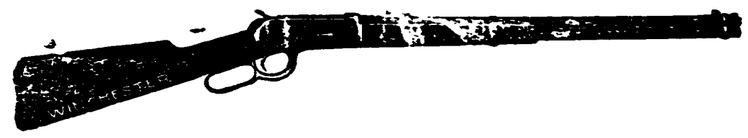
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THE RENT ACTS.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Many of your readers must have read with sorrow and surprise, as I have done, the letter published in your valued columns of the 13th instant from the pen of Khan Bahadur Dr. J. K. Daji, the father and founder of the Parsi Association, of the Parsi Building Society, Charity organizations, etc., etc. I have very great respect for the learned Doctor and have always admired his public zeal and his disinterested efforts for the amelioration of the condition of his co-religionists and I was therefore, the more surprised to read his views on a grave question that is creating serious anxieties in the minds of the citizens of Bombay and is a fruitful source of distress, and even consternation, among the members of the Parsi community. In fact on the housing problem and its proper and speedy solution the very existence of the greater portion of the Parsi community at present depends. The abnormal increase in rents that was made by profiteering landlords threw the community into an uproar. It was at the root of the sudden and inordinate increase in the price of food-stuffs and the bare necessaries of life. At that time one would have thought that Khan Bahadur Daji and his Association would be the first to come forward to the assistance of the helpless tenants and give them due relief. But at that critical juncture both he and his Association as it were enjoyed the fun from a distance and preserved the silence of the grave. When rents went up by leaps and bounds on account of the war conditions and Parsis were made to vacate houses they had occupied for decades merely because they did not submit to the most extravagant increases made by profiteers—and particularly the rent farmers—when members of the community were at a stroke deprived of the place on the ground-floor for keeping the dead bodies for the performance of funeral ceremonies, when non-Parsis and other questionable characters were with the sole object of coercing the Parsis to comply with their extortionate demands brought into the house exclusively occupied by Parsis for a half or a quarter century, so that Parsis who could not observe their religious ceremonies had to quietly leave the buildings their fathers and grandfathers had occupied, did the Association move as much as the last finger of its hand for the benefit of the members of the community to safeguard whose interest it existed? Nay even did his Association do even so much as—publish a handbill—a scrap of paper—even among the members of the community whose interests it professes to guard, explaining through the medium of the vernacular the complicated provisions of the beneficent rent measures?

When the leaders of his own community were thus quiet, it was an Englishman and an official—I mean the Hon Mr. P. R. Cadell, who, be it said to his credit, brought to public notice the grievances of the Parsis in their being deprived of the space on the ground-floor for keeping their dead bodies for the performance of funeral ceremonies and other matters that seriously affected their community. Where was then the leading Parsi Association and where were its office-bearer and their supporters? The Servants of India Society and a number of other Associations founded by the Hindus did their best with the object of apprising the backward and ignorant classes in the community of their rights, so that astute landlords might not take unfair advantage of them, but the champions of the Parsi community quietly enjoyed the sight.

We are surprised to learn that the Rent Acts have a "stupefying" effect upon public opinion, as Dr. Daji says. Up to now many sins were laid at the door of the Acts by the advocates of landlords but not of any deleterious soporific effect having been produced by them.

Dr Daji is against the continuance of the Rent Acts for 10 years, but at the same time advises us to acquire all unused inhabitable land in the town and its suburbs develop it and offer plots to the people by hundreds at a time without making any profit and with facilities for "transportation" (1) reduction in the price of building materials and bamboos for the construction of poor men's quarters.

Dr. Daji admits that there is an "abnormal rise recently created by speculators in the rates of plots of lands" and calls it "profiteering". Should not such profiteering be further checked by the arm of the law? If prices of lands go up, rents must increase and if a restriction is put on the increase of rents people will not pay fabulous prices.

Khan Bahadur Daji admits that "it may be considered necessary to prevent the eviction of all classes of tenants from their residential quarters and their place of business." But he adds "it is not necessary to do so in the case of brothels, grog shops, dinner clubs theatrical clubs, etc."

Dr. Daji does not wish to afford the protection of the Acts to "dinner clubs, theatrical clubs, cinema shows and other haunts of amusements" and he, therefore, recommends an encouragement of the eviction of such tenants in consideration of the scarcity of house accommodation.

Now first take the case of "Brothels and grog shops", though they are put under the same category as "theatrical clubs and cinema shows." If for brothel keepers landlords are allowed to make any increase they like, then there will be more landlords found who would care to let out their premises to such persons of ill repute, and respectable people will therefore, have to complain of want of accommodation to that extent.

Dr. Daji further says that it may be necessary to prevent any increase above 10 per cent. in the rental of tenants of moderate means, but it is not necessary to do so in the case of rich people. "He adds tenants paying a rent of Rs. 75 to Rs. 600 per month can afford to bear an addition of from 15 to 30 per cent."

He, however, forgets that the result of allowing increase to owners of big houses would be to give preference to those who are wealthy over those who get smaller rents and may be living on those rents only. It would also give rise to another kind of device on the part of landlords viz., not to let out their premises in portions as they stand, but only in a consolidated form, so that they may be free from the restrictions of the Rent Acts. The consequence would be that there would be a greater want felt of premises fetching rents below Rs. 75.

Dr. Daji in another breath says that "dire necessity" does not exist for continuing the Rent Acts. He, however, fails to realise that the war has left us all in a general economic confusion and that emergency measures are needed for the protection of those who are coerced to make abnormal increases in the rent by profiteers taking advantage of the "dire necessity" of the tenants.—Yours, etc.,

R. B. PAYMASTER.

IMPERIAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

AGENDA OF BUSINESS.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA, August 21.

At the first meeting of the Imperial Legislative Council to be held on the 3rd September, the following members will take prescribed oaths of allegiance:—Sir William Marris, Messrs. F. C. Rose, H. Mcpherson, W. A. Hertz, N. F. Paton, W. E. Crum, L. C. Porter, E. M. Cook, E. Burdon, N. E. Marjoribanks, L. T. Montford, Pandit M. M. Malavia, Rai Sahib Nathmal, Khan Bahadur E. Harroon Jaffer, Chaudhuri Muhammad Ismail Khan.

Sir William Vincent will lay the statement on the table showing the lists of magazines and journals proscribed from registered libraries by the Government.

On the motion of Sir William Vincent, the Poisons Bill will be considered and passed. He will also introduce the Calcutta High Court Jurisdiction Bill, the Indian Naturalisation Amendment Bill, and the Charitable and Religious Trusts Control Bill.

Sir George Lowndes will introduce the Repealing and Amending Bill. The Hon. Mr. Shafi will introduce the Sea Customs Act Amendment Bill and also the Provident Fund Act Amendments Bill. He will also introduce the Census Bill.

Mr. Howard will introduce the Indian Coinage Act Amendment Bill and Mr. Mant will introduce the Land Acquisition Act Amendment Bill.

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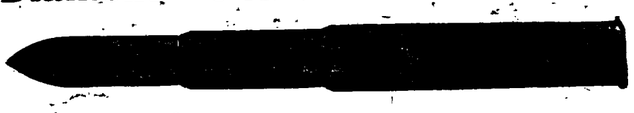

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ECHO OF THE MALI CASE.

RULE GRANTED BY HIGH COURT.

Sir Cowasji Jehangir, Bart. v. Major F. J. N. Porter, R.A.M.O.
(Before Justices Shah and Hayward.)

This was a criminal application for revision against the decision of Mr. A. H. S. Aston, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay.

The petitioner Sir Cowasji Jehangir in his application stated that he is the owner and occupier of a house and compound situated at Nepean Sea Road, Malabar Hill. The immediate neighbour of the applicant is one Major Porter, retired officer of the Royal Army Medical Corps, who has a Nursing Home in which he receives for gain a number of patients for the purpose of performing operations on them and during the period of their recovery from such operations. Major Porter has occupied the premises from the month of December 1917. For the past 40 years and upwards the applicant and his predecessor in occupation of the house has employed a chowkidar or chowkidars during the night who have been accustomed for all that period uninterruptedly to strike the hours on a bell in the compound of the applicant's house. This practice of striking the hours on bells in various compounds of houses on Malabar Hill and other parts of Bombay and elsewhere in India has been prevalent from time immemorial. For the whole time the bell has been struck in this manner no complaint has been made within the memory of the applicant that such bell is a nuisance or cause of annoyance or inconvenience, until the month of March last when the said Major Porter, complained that his sleep was disturbed by the striking of the bell. Later on Major Porter complained that he was also disturbed at night by the applicant's chowkidar coughing and very recently he has also complained that he is disturbed by the chowkidar knocking a stick upon the ground. The practice of chowkidars coughing and knocking a stick on the ground to protect themselves against snakes is almost universal throughout India.

On the 25th July Major Porter filed an application under Section 144 before the Chief Presidency Magistrate alleging that he had been subject to such harassment and annoyance at the hands of the applicant which had increased since July 1919, when he was acquitted of an assault of the applicant's Mali. That under the orders of the applicant a bell in his compound had been rung violently from 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. hourly almost every night. That it had been violently rung at other times for no ostensible purposes except to annoy him and the inmates of his house and that on the 16th July 1919 he had written to the applicant and told him that the chowkidar was patrolling his compound at night and disturbing him and his patients by the noise he made by striking the ground with a bamboo and coughing and submitted that the nuisance was causing him annoyance and was a danger to his health and that of his patients and applied that an order should be made against the applicant directing him to abstain from causing the bell to be rung during the hours 6 p.m. and 6 a.m. and abstain from allowing his chowkidar to disturb Major Porter by beating the ground with a bamboo and coughing during the night. That upon that application a notice was issued to the applicant and the matter came on for hearing before the Chief Presidency Magistrate who delivered the following judgment on the 20th of July 1919.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that you are in possession of certain premises known as Readymoney House situated in Nepean Sea Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay, and that servants in your employ ring a bell during the night and cough loudly and deliberately during the night and strike the ground with a bamboo during the night in a such manner as to annoy persons residing in the Nursing Home of Major Porter which adjoins your premises and endanger their health by disturbing their sleep at night. Whereas it has been made to appear to me that by reason of the aforesaid acts there is imminent danger of a disturbance of the public tranquility. I do hereby order you for the space of two months from the date of my order under Section 144, Criminal Procedure Code, not to permit a bell to be rung on your premises between the hours of 8 p.m. in such a manner as to annoy the residents in the aforesaid Nursing Home or disturb their sleep and not to permit your servants between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. to cough deliberately after the manner of chowkidars in such a manner as to annoy the residents in the aforesaid Nursing Home or disturb their sleep and not to permit your servants between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. to strike the ground with a bamboo in such a manner as to annoy the residents in the aforesaid Nursing Home or disturb their sleep."

The petitioner applied to the High Court against the above order of the Magistrate.

It was contended on behalf of the applicant that upon the facts found by the Magistrate and admitted by the complainant the Magistrate had no jurisdiction to make any order under Section 144. That the alleged nuisance having existed for 40 years without complaint and having been tolerated by the complainant for over a year there was no emergency which justified the Magistrate in making an order under the abovementioned section. That the order of the Magistrate was uncertain and wholly unworkable. That the powers under Section 144 were designed only to deal with an emergency pending the party complaining going to a civil court and getting his proper remedy. That Major Porter had ample opportunities and time to go to a civil court and obtain redress if he was so advised. That Major Porter had stated that he did not intend to have recourse to the Civil Court. That under the abovementioned circumstances the Court had no jurisdiction to take action under Section 144 of the Criminal Procedure Code. That the Magistrate had erred in proceeding to decide the legal rights of the parties. That the Magistrate had erred in holding that the applicant, Sir Cowasji Jehangir, had no legal rights to the acts complained of. The Magistrate had erred in holding that there was malice on the part of the applicant. That Major Porter in throwing stones and having the goose shot, had behaved in a most dangerous manner and was not entitled to have an order under Section 144 made in his favour.

Their Lordships granted rule and refused the application for 'ad interim' stay.

Sir Chimanlal Setalwad instructed by Messrs. Payne and Co., appeared for the applicant.

CAUSE LIST.

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1737-19—Wadia G and Co, Chandrabai widow v Katisabai widow, Captain and V, 15-8-19.

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1028-17 Vachha and Co., Bai Durga widow v. Shrinivas Shivchandrai & anr, N C Dalal.

210-18—Unwalla P & P, Rustomsey Premji v. Prangovind Shivprasad and ors, Bhai K & G, Raghavaya N & Co., Nanu H & Co.

417-18—Metha D & L, Pedro Rego Fourtado v. Vallabdas Nathabhai, Shroff and D.

1021-18—Mehta D & L, Messrs P M Goolmahomed and Co. a firm v. Messrs G Molini & Co. a firm, Jamsetjee R & D.

1547-18—Puranand & Co., Messrs Vireshwar Ramji a firm v. Sha Harakhchand Rupchand a firm, Soonderdas & Co.

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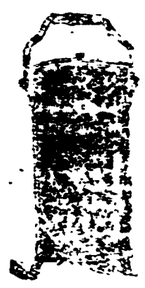

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GROWTH OF DEMOCRATIC IDEA.

The Joint Committee of the Lords and commons, which is considering the Government of India Bill, met again at the House of Lords on July 30. Lord Selborne presided.

Mr. C. P. Ramswami Iyer, representing a deputation of the All-India Home Rule League, continued his evidence, and, in answer to Lord Middleton, said that the position of the Governor in the transition period was very difficult to define. He would rather that the Governor were regarded in the capacity of mediator than anything else. He would depreciate the Governor being Chairman of the Legislative Council, in the interests of the Governor himself. He thought that the position of impartial mediator, the Governor's prerogative, would make it all the more essential that the heat and strife of the Legislative Council should not be placed upon him.

Lord Midrleton.—Do you think that it is very desirable, at the outset, that those new councils should choose their presidents?—I do not think it is really essential that they should. I take it the idea is that persons ought to be trained in legislative councils in the arts of Parliamentary debate.

Lord Crewe.—As a general proposition, you are in favour of abolishing the Secretary of State's Council?—Yes.

But if, as many people think, it would be impossible to do that as a single operation by the present Bill, you would prefer the scheme which involves the retaining of the Council with definitely limited powers to the creatin of a new body?—Yes; with the reservation that that body would automatically come to an end at the end of 10 or 12 years, unless a Parliamentary Committee reported that it was necessary to take another course.

'THE DOMINION STATUS.

The view of some of us has been that the further representation of India, which we all desire to promote, ought to be in India itself rather than here. As some advance is made in the direction of the Dominion status, it is for India to take its larger share at home rather than here and from that point of view it may almost be regarded as a retrograde step to increase Indian representation here?—On that point I agree—that the larger scope that may be afforded to Indian talent in India would make it perhaps unnecessary that there should be a large number of Indian gentlemen here doing this particular work. That is to me a very cogent argument for the abolition of the Council of the Secretary of State.

In answer to Sir John Rees, who cross-examined the witness with regard to the upper and lower caste question, Mr. Iyer said that he was a native of the Madras Presidency, and he had special experience of various provinces in which the non-Brahmin problem was most acute. He had presided over the Malabar District Conference, and he had watched the inception and development of the non-Brahmin problem in the town of Madras. He quite agreed with Mr. Banerjea that the present aspect of the problem dated only from the promulgation of the Montagu-Chelmsford report. It was not for him to deny that there had been feeling among the non-Brahmin community with regard to educational facilities, but there was no bitterness involved in the controversy, and no question of the segregation of the Brahmin element. It would be quite correct to state that there had been no sense of exclusion manifested by any one community to any other. In the public life of the Madras Presidency non-Brahmin leaders had played a great part. At contested elections very often Brahmins supported non-Brahmins, and *vice versa.*

MOVEMENTS BEYOND CASTE.

Sir John Rees asked whether the present reform movement and the reformers were anti-caste or whether the movement was rather more orthodox?

The witness replied that the political reform movement might be described as transcending caste, in this sense, that they recognized that the cast system would probably exist for some time. All were agreed, however, that the problems could best be solved that spirit of brotherhood which was also an element of the caste system, but not an element of some of the later developments of the caste system.

Sir John.—Has there been a most perceptible democratic advance in India in the last five years, and during the five years before the War?—Yes. It has partaken of the general democratic impulse observable in the world, and which is very largely of Western origin.

Mr. Spoor.—What percentage of the population of India has the opportunity of education?—At present the figures are:—Men, 106 out of 1,000 are literate; women, 12 or 13 out of 1,000. The total proportion is about 50 per 1,000 throughout the whole country. That state of things is produced by the circumstance that there are not enough schools, and it is felt that, unless at the initial stage some element of compulsion is resorted to, there cannot be instituted a system of education that will permeate the country.

Is there any feeling in India that education has been starved?—Yes.

Do you believe that the passage of this Bill will lead to any material improvement?—If the passage of the Bill means its passage in its present form, with the possibility of rules being drafted to suit the Government of India's ideas, my answer would be, No.

You think the real need of India at the present moment is education?—Yes.

It will go a long way towards the extinction of caste?—As a disinterating factor, yes.

Would you say that education ought to go on Eastern lines, and not on Western lines?—I would not restrict it by saying Eastern or Western. I would say that we must evolve our own system of education.

POLITICAL PROPAGANDA.

Replying to Lord Sydenham, the witness said he was a member of the National Congress of India. The Home Rule League did not purport to be an opposition body to the National Congress. Propaganda had been considered necessary, in order to spread political ideas, and for that purpose it was decided to form a body that could move quicker and would not be confined to annual sessions. The Home Rule League was an adjunct to the activities of the National Congress.

Lord Sydenham.—It is a propaganda body for the carrying out of the objects of the Congress?—Yes.

Your contribution to the war was a propaganda for Home Rule?—Certainly not. The witness added that he had helped the war in various directions. He had given money, and he had offered to enlist, but his offer was not accepted.

Lord Sydenham quoted a passage from a propaganda pamphlet which appealed to youth, and stated that in all great movements boys and young men played a prominent part. He asked if the witness subscribed to that doctrine.

The witness said that he held the view that in every country the young were touched with the spirit, but if there was any other implication in the question, he did not agree with it.

Lord Sydenham.—You entirely disapprove of using students for the purpose of political agitation?—Yes.

The original Home Rule League has recently been divided. What is the difference between the two branches?—In the main it is a difference of view on the Rowlatt Act.

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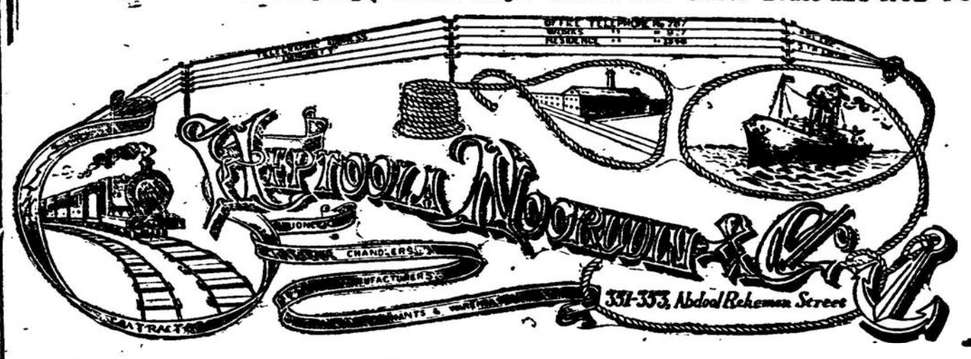

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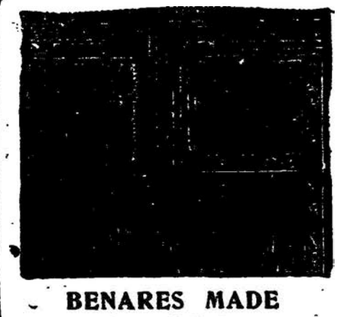

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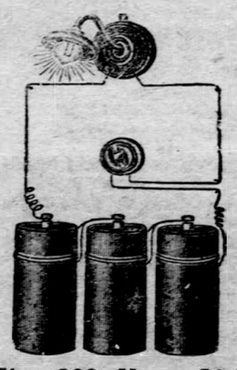

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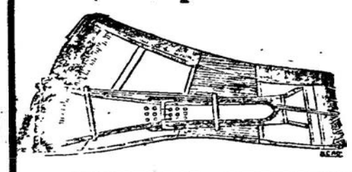

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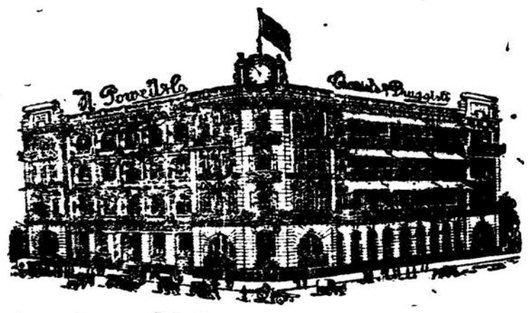

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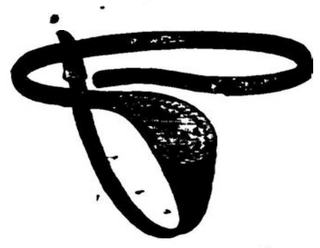

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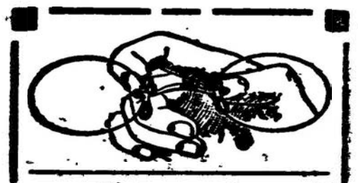

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